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Introduction

Africa

Burundi

On 30 August 2005 the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/41) in which it acknowledged the election of Pierre Nkurunziza as President of the Republic and welcomed the final step of the transitional process in Burundi. The Council called on all parties to respect the will of the Burundian people and commended the critical contribution made to the peace process by the Regional Initiative for Peace in Burundi, the African Union and the United Nations Operation in Burundi (ONUB).

On 22 September, in a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/43), the Council welcomed the decision taken at the Summit on Burundi held in New York on 13 September to establish a forum of Burundi's partners. That forum should work with the Government of Burundi in consolidating peace and national reconciliation and in enhancing donor coordination. The Council encouraged the Special Representative of the Secretary-General to conclude discussions with all concerned partners to establish the forum as soon as possible.

On 30 November, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1641 (2005), by which it extended the mandate of ONUB until 15 January 2006. Following the adoption of the resolution, the President of the Council underlined, in a statement to the press, that the members of the Council would study the mandate of ONUB, taking into consideration the development of the situation in Burundi and in the region. He stated that the Council had taken note of the views of the Government of Burundi and the most recent report of the Secretary-General, and that the members agreed on the importance of a gradual disengagement by ONUB. The members of the Council encouraged the Burundian authorities and ONUB to consult closely on the subject. Lastly, they called on Palipehutu-FNL to join the peace process and welcomed the Government's desire to reach a peaceful solution.

On 21 December, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1650 (2005), by which it decided to extend the mandate of ONUB until 1 July 2006. The Council also defined the conditions under which the temporary redeployment of military and civilian personnel between ONUB and the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUC) would be authorized. It again called upon Palipehutu-FNL to join the peace and reconciliation process and reiterated its intention to consider appropriate measures that might be taken against those individuals who threatened the process.

On 23 March 2006, at informal consultations, the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Burundi, Carolyn McAskie, gave a briefing on the situation in Burundi. Following the consultations the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/12) in which it called for the immediate cessation of hostilities and human rights abuses by FNL and the Burundian army. It welcomed the President's commitment to bring to justice those responsible and also welcomed the statements made by the FNL leader, Agathon Rwasa, expressing his readiness to negotiate with a view to putting a final end to violence.

On 30 June, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1692 (2006), by which it decided to extend the mandate of ONUB until 31 December 2006. It also decided to extend until 30 September 2006 the redeployment between ONUB and MONUC provided for in resolution 1669 (2006).

Côte d'Ivoire

On 19 August 2005, after the Council, during informal consultations, heard a briefing by the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, Hédi Annabi, the President of the Council made a statement to the press calling on the Ivorian authorities and all the concerned parties to put an end to interference with the free movement of impartial forces.

On 21 September, in a statement to the press, the President said that the Council supported a visit to Côte d'Ivoire and Abuja by the President of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) aimed at gathering information, in accordance with its mandate.

On 13 October, at a public meeting, the Council was informed about the development of the situation in Côte d'Ivoire and the impossibility of holding presidential elections, as planned, on 30 October 2005. The decision taken during the summit meeting of the African Union Peace and Security Council held in Addis Ababa on 6 October 2005, which set out the arrangements for a transition period of 12 months maximum leading to the organization of free, fair and transparent elections, was presented.

On 18 October, the Security Council unanimously adopted resolution 1632 (2005), extending the mandate of the Group of Experts established pursuant to resolution 1584 (2005) until 15 December 2005 with a view to monitoring the implementation of the arms embargo.

On 21 October, resolution 1633 (2005) was adopted unanimously by the Council, approving the decision of the African Union Peace and Security Council on the arrangements for the transition period.

On 30 November, after hearing a briefing by the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/58) in which it expressed its deep concern at the persistent disagreements among Ivorian parties on the appointment of the Prime Minister.

On 9 December, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/60) in which it welcomed the appointment of the new Prime Minister and reaffirmed that he must have all the powers described in resolution 1633 (2005).

On 15 December, by resolution 1643 (2005), which was adopted unanimously, the Council renewed for one year the authorization to impose sanctions on Côte d'Ivoire and impose an embargo on diamond exports.

On 24 January 2006, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1652 (2006), extending until 15 December 2006 the mandate of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (UNOCI) and the French forces which support it.

On 6 February, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1657 (2006), authorizing the Secretary-General temporarily to redeploy one infantry company from the United Nations Mission in Liberia (UNMIL) to UNOCI.

On 27 April, at a public meeting, the Council heard a briefing by the Prime Minister of Côte d'Ivoire, Charles Konan Banny, on the situation in Côte d'Ivoire. Following the meeting, the Prime Minister took part in an exchange of views with the Council at a private meeting. In a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/20), the Council commended the Prime Minister for the initiatives he had taken in cooperation with President Laurent Gbagbo.

On 24 May, in a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/23), the Council endorsed the communiqué of the International Working Group dated 19 May, inviting all Ivorian parties to accelerate the implementation of the road map. The Council also underlined its determination to impose targeted measures against persons inciting to hatred or violence.

On 2 June, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1682 (2006), authorizing until 15 December 2006 an increase in the strength of UNOCI of up to 1,500 additional personnel.

In a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/32) adopted on 19 July, the Council urged all Ivorian parties to implement all their commitments made at the high-level meeting held in Yamoussoukro on 5 July 2006, notably the implementation of identification operations, the establishment of a monitoring group on the disarmament, demobilization and reintegration programme, the dismantling of militias and the establishment of a code of conduct for the media. The Council also underlined that it was fully prepared to take targeted measures against persons to be designated by the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) who were determined to be blocking the implementation of the peace process.

In a statement to the press by the President of the Council on 26 July, the members of the Council strongly condemned the obstacles imposed on the normal operation of the mobile courts and the recent acts of violence, including the attack on the High Representative for the elections. The members of the Council notably stated their intention to inform the sanctions Committee.

Eritrea and Ethiopia

On 9 September 2005, during informal consultations, the Council considered the Secretary-General's report on Ethiopia and Eritrea (S/2005/553 and Add.1). The Special Representative of the Secretary-General, Legwaila Joseph Legwaila, stated that because of the massive deployment of troops close to the border, it was necessary to reconfigure the military component of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea (UNMEE).

On 13 September, the Council, by resolution 1622 (2005), adopted unanimously, decided to extend the mandate of UNMEE until 15 March 2006 and to reconfigure its military component.

On 4 October, in urgent consultations, the Council heard a briefing by the Secretary-General informing the members of the Council that the Eritrean Government had decided to ban UNMEE helicopter flights within Eritrean airspace. Subsequently, in a formal meeting, the Council, in a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/47), expressed its grave concern at the decision of the Government of Eritrea and called on the Government to reverse its decision immediately.

On 19 October, in informal consultations, the Council reiterated its request to the Government of Eritrea to lift all the restrictions imposed on UNMEE. At a closed meeting, held on the same day, the UNMEE troop-contributing countries also expressed concern at the deterioration in the security climate.

On 26 October, in informal consultations, the Director of the Africa Division of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations described the process for redeploying the troops because of the increasing insecurity.

On 23 November, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1640 (2005), by which it deplored Eritrea's continued imposition of restrictions on the freedom of movement of UNMEE and demanded that the Government of Eritrea reverse its decision without further delay. The Council also demanded that Ethiopia accept the decision of the Boundary Commission. Lastly, it requested the Secretary-General to monitor the parties' compliance with the demands made and to submit a report to the Council 40 days after the adoption of the resolution.

On 7 December, after hearing a briefing by the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, Jean-Marie Guéhenno, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/59) condemning the decision of the Government of Eritrea to request the departure of the Canadian, American and European personnel of UNMEE.

On 14 December, following informal consultations, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/62) in response to the Secretariat's proposal to temporarily relocate certain UNMEE staff members from Eritrea to Ethiopia.

On 8 and 16 February 2006, during consultations of the whole, the Council was briefed by the Under-Secretary-General and the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, respectively, on the status of UNMEE. The Council heard about the restrictions on the freedom of movement imposed on UNMEE by the Government of Eritrea and was also informed that the latter had detained members of the Mission.

On 24 February, in a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/10), the Council reiterated its demand that the parties permit UNMEE to perform its duties without restrictions.

On 3 March, in a statement to the press, the President expressed the Council's sadness at the death of a member of the Indian contingent of UNMEE and recalled the Council's serious concern about the unacceptable restrictions imposed by the Government of Eritrea on the operations of the Mission.

On 14 March, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1661 (2006), by which it decided to extend the mandate of UNMEE for a period of one month.

Following brief consultations on a draft resolution on UNMEE on 11 April, the Council unanimously adopted on 13 April resolution 1670 (2006), by which it decided to extend the mandate of UNMEE until 15 May 2006. The Council affirmed its intention to review the mandate of UNMEE with a view to transforming it into an observer mission.

On 15 May, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1678 (2006), by which it once again extended the mandate of UNMEE, in spite of the difficulties experienced by the Mission in implementing that mandate, prior to taking a decision on its transformation. The Council also reiterated its previous demands concerning, in particular, the withdrawal by Eritrea of its decision to ban UNMEE helicopter flights and the acceptance by Ethiopia of the decision relating to the border demarcation.

On 31 May, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1681 (2006), by which it once again extended the mandate of UNMEE, until 30 September 2006, and authorized the reconfiguration of its military component.

Guinea-Bissau

On 19 August 2005, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/39), in which it acknowledged with satisfaction the successful holding of the presidential elections in Guinea-Bissau and the announcement of the final results.

On 22 September, during informal consultations, the Council was briefed by the Representative of the Secretary-General for Guinea-Bissau, João Bernardo Honwana, on developments in that country. In a statement to the press, the President said that, after having discussed the Secretary-General's recommendations on the updating of the mandate of the United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office in Guinea-Bissau (UNOGBIS), the Council reaffirmed its continued support for the Office.

On 14 December, the Council was again briefed by the Representative of the Secretary-General for Guinea-Bissau on the situation since the inauguration of the newly elected President, João Bernardo Vieira. After considering the Secretary-General's recommendations on the extension and review of the mandate of UNOGBIS, the Council unanimously decided to review the mandate and extend it until 31 December 2006. The role of the international community, particularly in terms of economic and financial support and assistance with the reform of the security services, was underlined.

On 20 July 2006, the President of the Council made a statement to the press in which he emphasized the Council's concern about the continued fragility of the political situation in the country and the limited progress in the consolidation of peace and stability. However, Council members welcomed the steps taken by President Vieira to engage in constructive dialogue with national actors.

Liberia

On 19 September 2005, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1626 (2005), by which it extended the mandate of the United Nations Mission in Liberia (UNMIL) for six months, until 31 March 2006, and authorized it to deploy, from November 2005, up to 250 military personnel to Sierra Leone to provide security for the Special Court for Sierra Leone.

On 11 November, following consultations, the President, speaking on behalf of the Council, issued a statement to the press, in which he welcomed the peaceful and orderly conduct of the elections. The same day, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1638 (2005), by which it authorized UNMIL to apprehend and detain former President Charles Taylor and to transfer him or facilitate his transfer to the Special Court for Sierra Leone.

On 20 December, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1647 (2005), by which it renewed the arms embargo and the travel ban for 12 months, renewed the measures on diamonds and timber for six months and decided to review the sanctions once the Government of Liberia had met the conditions for their lifting.

On 24 March 2006, following a closed meeting with the countries contributing troops to UNMIL, the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Liberia, Alan Doss, introduced the tenth report of the Secretary-General (S/2006/159), which recommended a drawdown of UNMIL troops.

On 31 March, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1667 (2006), by which it extended the mandate of UNMIL until 30 September 2006.

On 13 June, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1683 (2006), by which it decided that the measures imposed by resolution 1521 (2003) should not apply to the weapons and ammunition already provided to members of the Special Security Service for training purposes. That resolution also provided that those same measures should not, following approval by the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003), apply to members of the police and security forces of the Government of Liberia who had been trained since the inception of UNMIL in October 2003.

On 20 June, the Council adopted resolution 1689 (2006), by which it decided not to renew the measure in resolution 1521 (2003) that obligated Member States to take the steps necessary to prevent the import of timber products originating in Liberia. The Council decided, however, to renew for six months the measures imposed by resolution 1521 (2003) that called on States not to import rough diamonds originating in Liberia and to conduct a review of the situation after four months. The renewal would allow the Government of Liberia sufficient time to establish an effective certificate of origin regime for trade in Liberian rough diamonds. The Council also requested the Secretary-General to renew the mandate of the Panel of Experts for an additional six months.

Security Council mission to Central Africa

On 15 November 2005, during a formal meeting, the Council was briefed by the Permanent Representative of France, Ambassador Jean-Marc de La Sablière, head of the Security Council mission to Central Africa from 4 to 11 November 2005.

Central African Republic

On 8 November 2005, during consultations, the Council was briefed by the Representative of the Secretary-General, Lamine Cissé, on the situation in the Central African Republic and on the activities of the United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office in the Central African Republic (BONUCA). The Council, which described the situation in the Central African Republic as precarious, agreed that it was necessary to pursue efforts to take the peacebuilding process forward.

On 7 July 2006, following consultations, the President of the Council made a statement to the press, in which he emphasized the importance of the implementation of the Tripoli Agreement of 8 February 2006 and also invited the Central African authorities to expedite their efforts to restructure the national armed forces.

Democratic Republic of the Congo

On 11 August 2005, the Security Council was briefed by the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations on the progress made with the preparations for the elections in the Democratic Republic of the Congo. The Assistant Secretary-General also stressed the need to strengthen MONUC with a view to mandating it to provide logistical support for the electoral operations, as requested in the Secretary-General's report of 26 May (S/2005/320 and Add.1).

On 6 September, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1621 (2005), by which it decided to increase the strength of MONUC, in accordance with the recommendations of the Secretary-General concerning civilian police, crowd control units and logistics.

On 30 September, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1628 (2005), by which it extended the mandate of MONUC until 31 October 2005.

In a presidential statement of 4 October (S/PRST/2005/46), the Council expressed its concern about the presence of foreign armed groups, which continued to pose a serious threat to stability in the eastern part of the country. Exhorting the Forces démocratiques pour la libération du Rwanda to disarm and return to Rwanda, the Council also expressed concern about the incursion of members of the Lord's Resistance Army. However, it welcomed the intention of the Congolese armed forces to disarm that group in cooperation with MONUC.

On 28 October, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1635 (2005), by which it extended the mandate of MONUC until 30 September 2006 and authorized an increase in its military strength.

On 21 December, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1649 (2005) concerning militias and armed groups operating in the eastern part of the Democratic Republic of the Congo. That resolution extended the targeted measures set out in resolution 1596 (2005) to cover political and military leaders of armed groups who were impeding disarmament, with effect from 15 January 2006. On the same day, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/66) commending the people of the Democratic Republic of the Congo for the successful holding of the referendum on the draft Constitution.

On 25 January 2006, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/4) in which it condemned the attack against a detachment of MONUC which had resulted in eight deaths, and underlined the importance of the electoral process.

On 31 January, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1654 (2006), by which it requested the Secretary-General to re-establish the Group of Experts and reaffirmed its determination to monitor compliance with the arms embargo imposed by resolutions 1493 (2003) and 1596 (2005).

On 10 April, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1669 (2006), by which it authorized the Secretary-General to redeploy temporarily one infantry battalion, a military hospital and up to 50 military observers from ONUB to MONUC until 1 July 2006.

On 25 April, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1671 (2006), by which it authorized, for a period ending four months after the date of the first round of the presidential and parliamentary elections, the deployment of a European Union force in the Democratic Republic of the Congo. The Council mandated the European Union force to support MONUC during the electoral period, in particular by stabilizing a situation in case MONUC faced serious difficulties, protecting civilians under threat and protecting Kinshasa airport.

On 30 May, in a statement to the press, the President expressed the Council's grave concern regarding the acts of violence perpetrated by armed groups and demanded the liberation of seven MONUC soldiers who had been kidnapped.

A mission of the Security Council chaired by the Permanent Representative of France visited the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the Republic of the Congo from 10 to 12 June 2006.

On 30 June, the Council unanimously adopted resolutions 1692 (2006) and 1693 (2006), respectively extending until 30 September 2006 the temporary redeployment of personnel from ONUB in accordance with resolution 1669 (2006), and the temporary increase in the military and civilian police strength of MONUC in accordance with resolutions 1621 (2005) and 1635 (2005). The Council underlined the temporary character of the increase, which was intended to take effect only as long as it remained vital to the successful conduct of the electoral process.

On 31 July, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1698 (2006), declaring its determination to enforce the measures provided for against persons acting in violation of the embargo imposed by resolutions 1493 (2003) and 1596 (2005). It also extended the mandate of the Group of Experts until 31 July 2007. It further decided that, for a period expiring on 31 July 2007, the provisions of resolution 1596 (2005) would also apply to leaders recruiting or using children in armed conflict and to individuals committing serious violations of international law involving the targeting of children. Lastly, the Council expressed its intention to consider extending application of the individual measures provided for in paragraphs 13 and 15 of resolution 1596 (2005) to individuals obstructing the action of MONUC or of the Group of Experts.

Sierra Leone

On 31 August 2005, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1620 (2005), requesting the Secretary-General to establish the United Nations Integrated Office in Sierra Leone (UNIOSIL) for an initial period of 12 months beginning on 1 January 2006 and to continue planning for security for the Special Court for Sierra Leone.

On 28 September the Council held consultations at which the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Sierra Leone, Daudi Mwakawago, introduced the report of the Secretary-General (S/2005/596). He also noted that Guinea and Sierra Leone had undertaken to settle their dispute and that the demarcation of their border would in principle be carried out before 3 October 2005. Lastly, he noted that steps were being taken to establish UNIOSIL early in 2006.

On 20 December, the Special Representative made a public statement to the Council reviewing the action of the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (UNAMSIL) until the conclusion of the operation. At a closed meeting, he also thanked the countries which had contributed contingents to UNAMSIL.

On 16 June 2006, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1688 (2006) since, following the exchange of letters between the President of the Special Court for Sierra Leone and the Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands dated 29 March 2006 and the memorandum of understanding between the Special Court and the International Criminal Court dated 13 April 2006, the International Criminal Court had expressed its willingness to allow the use of its premises for the detention and trial of former President Charles Taylor.

Somalia

On 4 October 2005, the Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs, Ibrahim Gambari, reported to the Council on the heightening of tension in Somalia and the build-up of the military capabilities of the parties, as a result of the inability of the transitional federal institutions to cope with the discord.

On 14 October, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1630 (2005), requesting the Secretary-General to re-establish the Monitoring Group on Somalia for six months.

On 9 November, having heard a statement by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General, François Lonseny Fall, the Council adopted a statement by its President (S/PRST/2005/54), expressing its concern over reported military activities and hostile rhetoric in Somalia. The Council also condemned the assassination attempt on 6 November 2005 against the Prime Minister, Ali Mohammed Ghedi.

On 10 May 2006, in the course of consultations followed by a public meeting, the Council took note of the report of the Monitoring Group stating that the arms embargo was still being violated, and unanimously adopted resolution 1676 (2006), requesting the Secretary-General to re-establish the Monitoring Group for a period of six months.

On 15 May, having heard a statement by the Assistant Secretary-General for Political Affairs concerning the situation in Somalia, including the violent incidents in Mogadishu, the President made a statement to the press on behalf of the Council, calling upon the belligerent parties to agree to a ceasefire and reiterating the obligation to comply with the arms embargo imposed by resolution 733 (1992).

On 13 July, the Council adopted a statement by its President (S/PRST/2006/31), welcoming the agreement reached in Khartoum on 22 June 2006 between the Transitional Federal Government and the Islamic Courts. However, it condemned the recent fighting in Mogadishu and requested all parties to adhere to the ceasefire agreed on 22 June. The Council also stated its willingness to consider a request for a peace support mission if it judged that such a mission would contribute to peace and security in Somalia. It also expressed its readiness to consider a limited modification of the arms embargo to enable the transitional federal institutions to develop Somalia's security sector and national institutions capable of responding to security issues.

Sudan

On 2 August 2005, at an official meeting held following consultations, the President of the Council made a statement (S/PRST/2005/38) expressing its profound regret over the death of the First Vice President of the Sudan, John Garang.

On 30 August, during informal consultations, the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations made a statement on the progress in Abuja of peace talks concerning Darfur. Following that meeting, the President made a statement to the press urging the Sudan Liberation Movement/Army, the Justice and Equality Movement and the Government of the Sudan to return to the talks in Abuja on 15 September.

On 21 September, during consultations, the Council considered the Secretary-General's report on the Sudan (S/2005/579). The Special Representative of the Secretary-General, Jan Pronk, listed the short-term priorities for implementing the Comprehensive Peace Agreement, including establishing all the institutions mentioned in the Agreement within the six following months, dispelling the tension created by the report of the Abyei Boundary Commission, stabilizing the situation in the south of the country where the Lord's Resistance Army held sway, maintaining stability in Khartoum and adopting instruments to promote democratization.

On 23 September the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1627 (2005), extending the mandate of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan (UNMIS) until 24 March 2006.

On 28 September, in a statement to the press, the President expressed the Council's concern at the deteriorating situation in Darfur and reiterated its support for the Abuja talks.

On 10 October, in the course of consultations, the members of the Council condemned the renewed outbreak of violence in Darfur, which had caused the deaths of four peacekeeping soldiers and two civilian contractors working for UNMIS.

On 13 October, at an official meeting, the President made a statement on behalf of the Council (S/PRST/2005/48), strongly condemning the attacks on the African Union Mission in the Sudan (AMIS) by Government troops and rebel groups. The President also urged the parties to take immediate steps to stabilize the situation in Darfur.

On 13 December, at a public meeting of the Council, the Prosecutor of the International Criminal Court, Luis Moreno-Ocampo, introduced the second report on the situation in Darfur. Afterwards a closed meeting was held at which the delegation of the Sudan was present, but without taking part in the discussion. In subsequent discussions in the Council with the Prosecutor, the members of the Council made it clear that the initial responsibility for ending impunity in Darfur lay with the Government of the Sudan. The Council stated that it would monitor the situation closely, including the signing of the cooperation agreement between the International Criminal Court and the African Union.

On 21 December, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1651 (2005), extending the mandate of the Panel of Experts on the Sudan until 29 March 2006.

On 3 February 2006, in a statement by the President (S/PRST/2006/5), the Council requested the Secretary-General to initiate, jointly with the African Union, contingency planning on a range of options for a possible transition from AMIS to a United Nations operation in Darfur.

On 13 March the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations described to the Council the progress made in establishing arrangements for a transition from AMIS to a United Nations operation in Darfur.

On 24 March, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1663 (2006), extending the mandate of UNMIS until 24 September 2006.

On 29 March, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1665 (2006), extending until 29 September 2006 the mandate of the Panel of Experts appointed pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005).

On 11 April, the Council adopted a statement by the President (S/PRST/2006/16) in which it expressed regret at the decision of the Government of National Unity to deny the entry of the United Nations Emergency Relief Coordinator to Darfur. The Council also called for a United Nations assessment mission to visit Darfur by 30 April 2006.

On 25 April, in a statement by the President (S/PRST/2006/17), the Council reiterated its full support for the inter-Sudanese peace talks in Abuja on the conflict in Darfur. The Council also adopted resolution 1672 (2006) by 12 votes in favour, with 3 abstentions, imposing on four Sudanese nationals the travel restrictions and financial sanctions specified in resolution 1591 (2005).

On 5 May, in the course of consultations, the Council welcomed the signing in Abuja of the Darfur Peace Agreement between the Government of the Sudan and the Sudan Liberation Movement/Army. It also urged the other movements which had not signed it to do so.

On 9 May, the Council adopted a statement by the President (S/PRST/2006/21) in which it strongly welcomed the agreement of 5 May 2006 reached at the inter-Sudanese peace talks in Abuja as a basis for lasting peace in Darfur.

On 16 May, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1679 (2006), calling upon the parties to the Darfur Peace Agreement to collaborate in accelerating the implementation of that Agreement. The Council also called for the deployment, within one week, of a joint African Union and United Nations technical assessment mission for that purpose. Acting under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations, the Council stated that it would consider taking strong measures against any individual or group that violated or attempted to block the implementation of the Darfur Peace Agreement.

On 15 June, during a formal meeting, the Council was briefed by the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom, Ambassador Emyr Jones Parry, head of the Security Council mission to the Sudan, Addis Ababa and Chad from 4 to 10 June 2006.

Chad and the Sudan

On 18 April 2006, during consultations, the Council was briefed by the Secretary-General on the deterioration of relations between Chad and the Sudan.

On 25 April, in a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/19), the Council expressed its deep concern over the political situation and security along Chad's borders with the Sudan.

At a public meeting on 19 May, the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs reported to the Council on the humanitarian situation in Chad and the Sudan. He particularly stressed that violence in Darfur had intensified, and that insecurity in Chad was growing. The members of the Council welcomed the peace agreement between the various political actors signed in Abuja, but expressed deep concern at the deteriorating humanitarian situation and unanimously recognized the need to strengthen the capabilities of the African Union in Darfur.

Western Sahara

At its consultations on 24 October 2005, the Security Council considered the report of the Secretary-General on the situation concerning Western Sahara (S/2005/648), emphasizing that the parties had made no progress towards a settlement. On 28 October, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1634 (2005) extending the mandate of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (MINURSO) for six months.

At the informal consultations held on 18 January 2006, the Secretary-General's Personal Envoy for Western Sahara, Peter van Walsum, briefed the members of the Council on the stalemate in resolving the situation concerning Western Sahara following the rejection of the Baker plan by one of the parties.

In further informal consultations, held on 25 April, the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations briefed the Council on the situation concerning Western Sahara. He was concerned that such a long-standing issue had remained unresolved.

On 28 April, as a follow-up to those consultations, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1675 (2006), extending the mandate of MINURSO for six months, until 31 October 2006.

Briefings by the Minister for Foreign Affairs and the Minister of Defence of Uganda

On 19 April 2006, at a public meeting, the Minister for Foreign Affairs and the Minister of Defence of Uganda briefed the Council on the action taken by the Government of Uganda to address the humanitarian situation in the north of the country, and on the issue of the Lord's Resistance Army. During the private meeting which followed, the members of the Council welcomed the steps which the Government had taken, but reiterated their concern at the humanitarian situation in the north.

Middle East

The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question

At a public meeting held on 24 August 2005, the Council was briefed by the Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs on the situation in the Middle East following the Israeli disengagement from Gaza and parts of the West Bank. The disengagement had mostly proceeded smoothly and rapidly, but genuine and difficult challenges remained. At the informal consultations which followed, the members of the Council welcomed the way in which the process had unfolded. The President then read out a statement to the press in which he emphasized the importance of full disengagement as a first step towards resumption of the peace process.

On 23 September, following a briefing by Alvaro de Soto, Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process, on the Israeli withdrawal from the Gaza Strip, the Council adopted a statement by the President (S/PRST/2005/44) supporting the statement issued in New York on 20 September 2005 by the Quartet.

On 20 October, the Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs briefed the Council on the situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question, emphasizing that, because of violent incidents, deteriorating security was once again threatening to derail the political process.

On 30 November, in a further statement by the President (S/PRST/2005/57), the Council welcomed the successful opening of the Rafah crossing between Gaza and Egypt.

On 20 December, the Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs once again addressed the Council, notably speaking on the preparations for Palestinian legislative elections. During the consultations which followed, the members of the Council discussed the implementation of the Agreement on Movement and Access, the obligations of Israel and the Palestinian Authority, and preparations for the Palestinian elections due shortly thereafter.

On 3 February 2006, after consultations of the whole, the Council adopted a statement by the President (S/PRST/2006/6) congratulating the Palestinian people on the free and fair elections to the Palestinian Legislative Council. The Council expressed the hope that the new Palestinian Government would remain committed to realizing the aspirations of the Palestinian people for peace.

During consultations held on 14 March, the Council considered, but did not adopt, a draft statement by the President proposed by the representative of Qatar.

On 13 April, at informal consultations, the delegation of Qatar proposed a further draft statement by the President on the upsurge of violence in the Middle East. Because of differing positions, the statement was not adopted.

On 17 April, following a request by three States on behalf of the Group of Arab States, the Organization of the Islamic Conference and the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries, the Council held a public meeting on the Middle East, during which 33 speakers took the floor. Most representatives condemned the suicide bombing in Tel Aviv on 17 April and urged Israel and the Palestinian Authority to do their utmost to curb attacks and counter-attacks. The Council failed to reach agreement on a draft statement to the press proposed by the representative of the United States.

On 24 April, at a public meeting, the Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process pointed out the potentially dangerous deterioration of the situation in the Israel-Palestinian conflict. Afterwards, the members of the Council held informal consultations and agreed in general with the assessment of the situation by the Special Coordinator.

On 24 May, the Security Council considered the conclusions of the meeting of the Quartet on the Middle East, in particular the new Government of the Palestinian Authority led by Hamas, and the humanitarian and financial crisis in the Palestinian territories.

At a public meeting on 13 July, the Council voted on a draft resolution on the situation in the Middle East submitted by Qatar. Having received 10 votes in favour, 1 against and 4 abstentions, the draft was not adopted because of the negative vote of a permanent member of the Council.

United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

In informal consultations on 16 December 2005, the Council members heard a briefing from the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations on the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF). He described the area of operations as quiet but tense. In the wake of consultations, on 21 December, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1648 (2005), by which it extended the mandate of UNDOF until 30 June 2006.

After considering the report of the Secretary-General on UNDOF (S/2006/333) on 6 June 2006, the Council adopted, on 13 June, resolution 1685 (2006), by which it renewed the mandate of UNDOF for a further six months, until 31 December 2006.

Iraq

On 9 August 2005, the Security Council heard a briefing from the Assistant Secretary-General for Political Affairs on the activities of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq (UNAMI) and developments in the situation in Iraq. The members of the Council expressed strong support for Iraq's efforts to complete the drafting of the Constitution by 15 August. The Council considered the draft resolution prepared by the United States of America, which recommended the extension of the UNAMI mandate for 12 months.

The Council unanimously adopted resolution 1619 (2005), by which it extended the mandate of UNAMI for another 12 months.

On 7 September, the Council heard a briefing by the Chairman of the Independent Inquiry Committee into the United Nations Oil-for-Food Programme, Paul Volcker, on the penultimate report of the Committee.

On 21 September, the Council heard a briefing by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Iraq, Ashraf Qazi, who introduced the report of the Secretary-General on Iraq (S/2005/585). The Council members expressed satisfaction at the approval of the draft Constitution by the Iraqi people but expressed concern at the ongoing violence in the country.

On 17 October, in a statement to the press, the Council welcomed the Iraqi referendum conducted on 15 October.

On 8 November, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1637 (2005), by which it decided to extend the mandate of the multinational force for 12 months, until 31 December 2006, or terminate it earlier if so requested by the Government of Iraq. The Council also extended until 31 December 2006 the arrangements set up for the depositing of proceeds from export sales of petroleum, petroleum products and natural gas into the Development Fund for Iraq.

On 16 December, the Council members agreed on a statement to the press welcoming the Iraqi elections that had been held the previous day.

On 14 February 2006, in consultations of the whole, the Assistant Secretary-General for Political Affairs briefed the Council on the situation in Iraq. On the same day, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/8), welcoming the official results of the Iraqi elections.

On 22 February, after consultations of the whole, the Council agreed to issue a statement to the press condemning the attack on the Shrine of the Imams in Samarra.

On 24 February, in consultations of the whole, the Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs briefed the Council on the situation in Iraq, emphasizing the escalation of violence in the country.

At a public meeting held on 15 March, the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Iraq introduced the report of the Secretary-General on the activities of UNAMI (S/2006/137). The Permanent Representative of the United States of America also took the floor to introduce the quarterly review of the multinational force.

On 25 April, the President made a statement to the press in which the Council welcomed the election in Iraq of the Presidency Council, the Speaker and Deputy Speakers of the Council of Representatives and the appointment of Nuri al-Maliki to the post of Prime Minister.

On 3 June, the Council adopted a statement to the press in which it condemned with the utmost firmness the attack perpetrated against employees of the Embassy of the Russian Federation in Baghdad.

On 15 June, the Council members heard a briefing by the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Iraq, Hoshyar Zebari, and a statement by the Permanent Representative of the United States of America on the review of the activities of the multinational force. The Council members also took note of the letter from Mr. Zebari dated 9 June 2006 (S/2006/377). The Council responded to the request submitted by the Government of Iraq and extended the mandate of the multinational force and the arrangements relating to the Development Fund for Iraq. The Assistant Secretary-General for Political Affairs also made a statement about the activities of UNAMI.

United Nations Monitoring, Verification and Inspection Commission

During consultations held on 6 September 2005, the Council considered the quarterly report of the United Nations Monitoring, Verification and Inspection Commission (S/2005/545). The Acting Executive Chairman of the Commission briefed the Council on the progress achieved in programme implementation.

During consultations held on 7 December 2005 and on 6 March and 8 June 2006, the Council heard further briefings by the Acting Executive Chairman on the quarterly reports of the Commission (S/2005/742, S/2006/133 and S/2006/342, respectively).

Iraq/Kuwait

On 25 August 2005, the Council heard a briefing by the High-Level Coordinator on the report of the Secretary-General on the repatriation or return of Kuwaiti and third-country nationals (S/2005/513). The members of the Council responded with a press statement strongly condemning the executions carried out by the previous Iraqi regime. However, they welcomed the constructive stance taken by the present Government in Iraq.

Following the Coordinator's briefing on 14 December during informal consultations, the Council in a statement to the press welcomed the improved cooperation of the Government of Iraq. The Council members, however, deplored the slow progress in establishing the fate of missing persons and locating the Kuwaiti national archives.

On 17 April 2006, the Coordinator addressed the Council, emphasizing that, owing to the difficult security situation in Iraq, little progress had been made since the presentation of his previous report in December 2005. Nonetheless, he expressed appreciation for the constructive stance taken by the new Iraqi authorities and for the work of the International Committee of the Red Cross. The Council also heard a briefing by the Director of the Asia and Middle East Division of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations on the status of the Iraq-Kuwait boundary maintenance project.

During consultations on 5 July, the Coordinator introduced the report of the Secretary-General on the return of all Kuwaiti property, including archives, seized by Iraq (S/2006/428). Stressing that little progress had been made, he requested the Iraqi authorities and the multinational force to intensify their search.

Lebanon

In a statement to the press on 23 November 2005, the Council expressed deep concern about the hostilities that had broken out along the Blue Line on 21 November.

On 12 December, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/61) in which it condemned the terrorist attack that had killed Gebrane Tueni, a Lebanese member of Parliament, as well as three others. The Council expressed its readiness to consider positively any request for assistance from the Government of Lebanon with a view to bringing to justice all those responsible for the assassination.

By resolution 1655 (2006), adopted unanimously on 31 January 2006, the Council extended the mandate of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL) until 31 July 2006 and declared its grave concern at the violations recorded along the Blue Line. It reiterated its call upon the Government of Lebanon to fully extend and exercise its authority throughout the south.

During consultations on 15 July, the Council heard a briefing by the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations. The Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs and the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, Jane Holl Lute, also addressed the Council during consultations on 17 July on the situation in Lebanon in the light of the latest events. The Secretary-General addressed the Council during consultations on 20 July and the Council members discussed possible action.

After considering the situation in the Middle East on 27 July, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/34) in which it stated that it was deeply shocked by the firing by the Israeli Defense Forces on a United Nations observer post on 25 July, which had caused the death of four observers. The Council called upon the Government of Israel to conduct a comprehensive inquiry into the incident.

The Council adopted a further presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/35) on 30 July, in which it expressed its extreme shock at the shelling of a residential building in southern Lebanon, which had caused the deaths of dozens of civilians. It also called for an end to violence and underscored the urgency of securing a lasting, permanent and sustainable ceasefire.

On 31 July, the Council expressed its deep concern at the escalation of hostilities in Lebanon and Israel since 12 July. In response to the request from the Government of Lebanon and the report of the Secretary-General (S/2006/560), the Council extended the mandate of UNIFIL by one month by resolution 1697 (2006).

Lebanon and the Syrian Arab Republic

On 2 November 2005, during informal consultations, the Special Envoy of the Secretary-General for the implementation of resolution 1559 (2004), Terje Roed-Larsen, stated in a briefing in the Security Council that the main objectives of resolution 1559 (2004) had been achieved, in particular the holding of parliamentary elections and the withdrawal of Syrian forces.

In a presidential statement adopted on 23 January 2006 (S/PRST/2006/3), the Council members noted the withdrawal of Syrian forces from Lebanese territory and the holding of free and credible parliamentary elections. However, the Council expressed its regret that other provisions of resolution 1559 (2004) had not been implemented.

At a public meeting on 21 April, the Prime Minister of Lebanon, Fouad Siniora, addressed the Council, emphasizing the progress that Lebanon had made towards self-governance, stability and democracy. The Council also heard a briefing by the Chargé d'affaires a. i. of the Permanent Mission of the Syrian Arab Republic, who deplored the rumours of tension between the Syrian Arab Republic and Lebanon, which he described as fraternal countries. The Council then held a private meeting, continuing discussions with the Prime Minister of Lebanon.

On 26 April, during informal consultations, the Council heard a briefing by the Special Envoy of the Secretary-General, who introduced the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of resolution 1559 (2004) (S/2006/248). He noted that Lebanon had made significant progress but that some provisions had not yet been implemented, particularly those relating to the disbanding of all Lebanese militias and the extension of the control of the Government of Lebanon over all Lebanese territory.

During consultations on 12 May, the Council discussed the situation in Lebanon in relation to resolution 1559 (2004). On 17 May, following informal consultations, the Council adopted resolution 1680 (2006) by 13 votes in favour, with 2 abstentions. The Council members encouraged the Government of the Syrian Arab Republic to respond positively to the request made by the Government of Lebanon to delineate their common border and to establish diplomatic relations. The Council also called on the Governments of Lebanon and the Syrian Arab Republic to take measures against movements of arms into Lebanon.

International Independent Investigation Commission

On 25 August 2005, during informal consultations, the Security Council heard a briefing by the Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs on the status of the work of the International Independent Investigation Commission regarding the assassination of the former Prime Minister, Rafiq Hariri. In a statement to the press delivered by the President, the Council members welcomed the progress made. The Council received a further briefing on the status of the work of the Commission on 30 August, in particular information on the arrest of four suspects that day.

On 25 October, at a public meeting, the Head of the Commission presented the report of the Commission (S/2005/662) to the Council, noting in particular that some main lines of investigation had been established. However, he invited the Syrian authorities to carry out their own investigation. The representatives of Lebanon and the Syrian Arab Republic made statements. The representative of the Syrian Arab Republic opposed the finding of the report substantially implicating the Syrian authorities and rejected the accusation that the Syrian Arab Republic had not cooperated sufficiently.

Having discussed a draft resolution in consultations of the whole on 26 and 28 October, the Council, meeting at ministerial level, unanimously adopted resolution 1636 (2005) on 31 October. The Council demanded, in particular, that the Syrian Arab Republic should cooperate with the International Independent Investigation Commission fully and unconditionally and should not interfere in Lebanese domestic affairs. Lastly, the Council requested the Commission to report to it on the progress of the inquiry by 15 December 2005.

On 13 December, the Head of the International Independent Investigation Commission submitted his second report (S/2005/775). Taking into account the recommendations in the report and following informal consultations on 14 and 15 December, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1644 (2005), extending the mandate of the Commission for a period of six months.

The Council was informed on 13 January 2006 of the appointment of Serge Brammertz to succeed Detlev Mehlis as Head of the Commission. On 31 January, the Assistant Secretary-General for Political Affairs informed the Council of the Secretary-General's intention to send a team to Lebanon to look into the possibility of establishing a tribunal to bring to justice those involved in the assassination of Rafiq Hariri.

On 16 March, the Head of the International Independent Investigation Commission presented the third report of the Commission (S/2006/161) to the Council. Following subsequent informal consultations, the Council said in a statement to the press that it was satisfied with the progress of the investigation. The Council also took note of the fact that the Commission and the Syrian authorities had reached an understanding on the arrangements for Syrian cooperation with the investigation.

During informal consultations on 23 March, the Legal Counsel, Nicolas Michel, briefed the Council on the consultations held with the Government of Lebanon to consider the conditions for the establishment of a tribunal of an international character to try the individuals wanted for the attack that had killed Rafiq Hariri and 22 others.

On 29 March, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1664 (2006), requesting the Secretary-General to negotiate an agreement with the Government of Lebanon aimed at establishing a tribunal of an international character.

On 15 June, the Council considered the fourth report of the International Independent Investigation Commission (S/2006/375) and took note of the letter dated 4 May 2006 from the Prime Minister of Lebanon addressed to the Secretary-General requesting that the mandate of the Commission should be extended for a further period of one year from 15 June 2006. By resolution 1686 (2006) of the same date, the Council extended the mandate of the Commission until 15 June 2007 and also expressed support for the Commission's intention to extend further its technical assistance to the Lebanese authorities with regard to their investigations into the other terrorist attacks perpetrated in Lebanon since 1 October 2004.

Americas

Haiti

On 18 October 2005, after hearing a statement by the Interim Prime Minister of Haiti, Gérard Latortue, the Council was briefed on the Secretary-General's report (S/2005/631) on recent developments in Haiti and the activities of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (MINUSTAH). In a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/50) that same day, the Council stressed the importance of holding transparent, free and fair elections.

In the context of the tensions surrounding the first round of presidential and parliamentary elections on 7 February 2006, the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations briefed the Council on the situation in Haiti several times in February. On 10 February, he confirmed that, despite some irregularities, no widespread fraud had been established.

At a closed meeting with MINUSTAH troop-contributing countries on 9 February, the Council was briefed by the Assistant Secretary-General on the recent elections in Haiti and on the Secretary-General's report on MINUSTAH (S/2006/60), which recommended that the Mission's mandate be extended for six months to allow for further assessment of the situation after a new Haitian Government had taken office. The Council then adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/7) commending the successful holding of the first round of elections and calling on all parties to respect the outcome.

By resolution 1658 (2006), adopted unanimously on 14 February, the Council extended the mandate of MINUSTAH until 15 August 2006, as recommended by the Secretary-General.

On 17 February, the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations informed the Council that René Préval had been officially declared President by the Electoral Commission on 16 February 2006.

At a public meeting on 22 February, the Council was briefed on the political situation in Haiti by the Interim Prime Minister, Gérard Latortue.

During a public debate held in the Council on 27 March in the presence of the President-Elect of Haiti, René Préval, 29 representatives of Member States made statements. Mr. Préval made a statement setting out the priorities for his term of office. The Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/13) congratulating Mr. Préval on his election and calling on all parties to remain engaged in the political process and to promote national reconciliation and inclusiveness. The Council reaffirmed the importance of the establishment of the rule of law and underlined the need to advance the reform of the police and the judicial system.

Following consultations held on 15 May, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/22) congratulating René Préval on his inauguration, stressing the importance of the timely holding of municipal, local and parliamentary elections and calling on donors to continue their efforts to assist Haiti.

Asia

Afghanistan

On 23 August 2005, the Council heard a briefing by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA), Jean Arnault, on the situation on the ground and the progress in the preparations for the elections. He noted that there was a shortage of funding for the final phase of the elections and appealed to the international community to make urgent efforts to fill the funding gap. He also expressed concern at the recent deterioration in the security situation, especially in the southern, eastern and south-eastern parts of the country. The Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/40) welcoming the progress in the preparations for the elections and calling upon the international community to extend additional financial assistance for those elections.

On 13 September, having received a letter from the Secretary-General dated 9 September 2005

(S/2005/574) to which was attached a letter from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Afghanistan requesting the continuation of the International Security Assistance Force (ISAF), the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1623 (2005) extending the mandate of ISAF for 12 months.

In informal consultations held on 22 September, the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations briefed the Council on the recently concluded parliamentary and provincial elections. Following those consultations, the President of the Council issued a statement to the press welcoming the successful conduct of the elections, which were the final milestone of the Bonn Process begun in December 2001.

In consultations held on 17 November, the Council was briefed by the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations on the results of the parliamentary and provincial council elections. He noted that the Parliament appeared to be broadly representative of the political and ethnic realities of the Afghan nation and emphasized the importance of the forthcoming London Conference, which was expected to ratify a multi-year compact on the key objectives of cooperation between Afghanistan and the international community in the areas of, inter alia, security, governance and development.

In a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/56) adopted on 23 November, the Council congratulated the people of Afghanistan on the confirmation of the final results of the parliamentary and provincial council elections, while condemning the recent attacks in the country.

In a statement to the press issued on 17 January 2006, the Council reaffirmed the importance of the London Conference to be held on 31 January and 1 February 2006 in providing a framework for the country's reconstruction.

At a public meeting on 10 February, the Council heard a briefing by the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations on the outcome of the London Conference on Afghanistan. On 15 February, it unanimously adopted resolution 1659 (2006) endorsing the Afghanistan Compact adopted at the London Conference.

By resolution 1662 (2006) of 23 March 2006, the Council extended the mandate of UNAMA for 12 months, as recommended by the Secretary-General in his report of 7 March 2006 (S/2006/145).

In a statement to the press issued by its President on 26 July, the Council expressed concern about the security situation in Afghanistan against the background of increasing activity by the Taliban and other groups. In that connection, the members of the Council reiterated their support for the activities of ISAF.

Timor-Leste

On 29 August 2005, the Council heard a briefing by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Office in Timor-Leste (UNOTIL), Sukehiro Hasegawa, on the report of the Secretary-General (S/2005/533) concerning recent political and security developments in the country and the implementation of the mandate of UNOTIL. Taking into account the progress made, the members of the Council expressed their intention of reviewing the modalities of the international presence when the mandate of UNOTIL ended in May 2006.

On 5 May 2006, during a public meeting, the Special Representative presented the end of mandate report on UNOTIL (S/2006/251 and Corr.1). After referring to internal challenges and potential risks in connection with the 2007 elections, the Special Representative emphasized the Secretary-General's proposal to establish an integrated United Nations office. The members of the Council, with the exception of one delegation, declared their support for the proposal and on 12 May they unanimously adopted resolution 1677 (2006) providing for the technical extension of the mandate of UNOTIL until 20 June 2006.

Noting a deterioration in the situation in Timor-Leste, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/25) on 25 May supporting the deployment of defence and security forces by Portugal, Australia, New Zealand and Malaysia. It also welcomed the intention of the Secretary-General to send a special envoy in order to facilitate the political dialogue.

On 20 June, the Council adopted resolution 1690 (2006), extending the mandate of UNOTIL until 20 August 2006 and requesting the Secretary-General to provide it by 7 August 2006 with a report on the role for the United Nations in Timor-Leste following the expiration of the mandate of UNOTIL.

Europe

Kosovo (Serbia)

At a public meeting on 24 October 2005, the Council heard briefings by the Special Envoy of the Secretary-General for the comprehensive review of the situation in Kosovo, Kai Eide, and the Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (UNMIK), Søren Jessen-Petersen. It also heard a statement by the Prime Minister of Serbia, Vojislav Kostunica. In a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/51) adopted following informal consultations on the same day, the Council expressed support for the Secretary-General's intention to start a political process to determine Kosovo's future status and to appoint a special envoy to lead that process.

The Secretary-General appointed Martii Ahtisaari to conduct direct negotiations on the future status of Kosovo. Mr. Ahtisaari and his team conducted several rounds of talks, dealing initially with the elements of the future status of Kosovo and subsequently with the status itself. The Special Envoy briefed the Council on 7 March and again on 13 July 2006 on the progress of the negotiations.

The Council was also briefed by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on 14 February and 20 June concerning the situation on the ground and the activities of UNMIK.

Georgia

In informal consultations held on 28 October 2005, the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Georgia, Heidi Tagliavini, presented the report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia (UNOMIG) (S/2005/657). She reported limited progress in the field of security guarantees and the registration of returnees and stressed that the parties needed to refrain from actions or statements detrimental to the peace process.

On 26 January 2006, after being further briefed by the Special Representative at a closed meeting on the situation in Abkhazia and the activities of UNOMIG, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1656 (2006) extending the mandate of UNOMIG until 31 March 2006.

Following a closed meeting and after taking note of the Secretary-General's latest report on the situation in Abkhazia (S/2006/173) on 28 March, the Council unanimously adopted on 31 March resolution 1666 (2006) extending the mandate of UNOMIG for a new period of six months, ending on 15 October 2006.

In consultations held on 11 July, the Special Representative of the Secretary-General presented to the Council the Secretary-General's report dated 26 June (S/2006/435), in which he described the latest progress but noted that the situation remained precarious. Taking note of the report, the members of the Council called on the parties to take the action called for in resolution 1666 (2006).

Bosnia and Herzegovina

On 15 November 2005, the Council heard a briefing by the High Representative for the Implementation of the Peace Agreement in Bosnia and Herzegovina, Paddy Ashdown, who emphasized the considerable progress made in Bosnia and Herzegovina. During the discussion that followed, members of the Council expressed satisfaction with the results achieved in such areas as institution-building, the judicial system, police reform and national reconciliation.

On 21 November, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1639 (2005) authorizing for a further period of 12 months the maintenance of a multilateral stabilization force (EUFOR). It welcomed the decision by the European Union to open negotiations with Bosnia and Herzegovina on a Stabilization and Association Agreement.

On 18 April 2006, during a public meeting, the Council heard a briefing by the High Representative for Bosnia and Herzegovina, Christian Schwarz-Schilling, on the activities of his Office. The Chairman of the Council of Ministers of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Adnan Terzić, also made a statement emphasizing his country's clear goal of full integration in European structures.

Cyprus

In informal consultations held on 7 December 2005 the Council was briefed by the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, who introduced the report of the Secretary-General dated 29 November on the United Nations operation in Cyprus (S/2005/743 and Corr.1). The Council, taking up the Secretary-General's recommendations, unanimously adopted on 14 December resolution 1642 (2005), extending the mandate of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus until 15 June 2006.

On 15 June 2006, the Council adopted resolution 1687 (2006), extending the mandate of the Force for a further period, ending on 15 December 2006, in accordance with the recommendations of the Secretary-General in his report (S/2006/315).

General issues

Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts

Following the recent terrorist attacks in Iraq, the Council on 4 August 2005 unanimously adopted resolution 1618 (2005), condemning the terrorist attacks in the strongest terms. The representative of Iraq, at the invitation of the Council, took the floor, and recalled the importance of a coherent counter-terrorism policy.

In a statement to the press issued on 15 August, the Council strongly condemned the assassination on 12 August of the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Sri Lanka, Lakshman Kadirgamar, and called on the parties concerned to implement fully the provisions of the Ceasefire Agreement.

On 4 October following the bombing perpetrated on 1 October in Bali, Indonesia, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/45) condemning the terrorist attacks in the strongest terms.

At a public meeting on 26 October the Council heard statements by the Chairman of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities, the Chairman of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, and the Chairman of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) on the respective activities and programmes of work of those Committees.

On 31 October, following consultations, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/53) strongly condemning the series of bomb attacks that occurred in New Delhi on 29 October 2005.

On 10 November, following consultations, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/55) condemning in the strongest terms the terrorist attack that took place in Amman on 9 November 2005.

On 21 December, the Council, meeting in informal consultations, conducted a comprehensive review of the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate. Following its consideration of the report of the Counter-Terrorism Committee dated 15 December 2005 (S/2005/800), the Council endorsed the conclusions in the report and adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/64) on 21 December.

At a public meeting on 21 February 2006, the Chairman of the Counter-Terrorism Committee, the Chairman of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities, and the Chairman of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) briefed the Council on the objectives of their respective committees and on the latest developments.

On 25 April, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/18) in which it condemned the terrorist attacks which had taken place the day before in Dahab, Egypt, and underlined the need to bring to justice the perpetrators, organizers and instigators of those intolerable acts, together with those who had financed them.

On 30 May, the Council was briefed on the activities of the three counter-terrorism committees established pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1373 (2001) and 1540 (2004).

On 29 June, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/29) in which it condemned in the strongest possible terms the kidnapping and execution of Russian diplomats in Iraq.

On 12 July, the President read out a statement on behalf of the Council (S/PRST/2006/30) in which the

Council condemned in the strongest terms the series of bomb attacks in different parts of India, including Mumbai, on 11 July.

Non-proliferation

On 29 March 2006, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/15) in which it endorsed the requirements relating to the Islamic Republic of Iran set out by the Board of Governors of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) and called on the Director General of IAEA to report to it, as well as to the Board of Governors, on compliance by that country with the steps required.

On 31 July, noting that according to the report of the Director General the Islamic Republic of Iran had not complied with the requirements set out by the Board of Governors of IAEA and reiterated in the presidential statement, the Council, by 14 votes in favour to 1 against, adopted resolution 1696 (2006), acting under Article 40 of Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations in order to make mandatory the suspension required by IAEA. By that resolution, the Council called upon the Islamic Republic of Iran to take the steps required by IAEA, and demanded that it suspend all enrichment-related and reprocessing activities, including research and development. The Council expressed its intention, in the event that the Islamic Republic of Iran did not comply with the resolution, to adopt measures under Article 41 of Chapter VII of the Charter. The Council requested a report from the Director General of IAEA.

Letter dated 4 July 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Japan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

Following ballistic missile tests conducted by the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the Security Council, seized of a letter from the Permanent Representative of Japan (S/2006/481), on 15 July 2006 adopted resolution 1695 (2006), by which, acting under its special responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security, it demanded that the Democratic People's Republic of Korea suspend all activities related to its ballistic missile programme, and in that context re-establish its pre-existing commitments to a moratorium on missile launching. The resolution expresses the Council's support for the six-party talks.

Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)

On 27 April 2006, the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) submitted its report to the Council. The report provides for the adoption of a new work programme for the next two years. On the same day, the Council adopted resolution 1673 (2006), extending the mandate of the Committee for a period of two years. The resolution states that in 2008 the Committee will submit to the Council a report on compliance with resolution 1540 (2004) through the achievement of the implementation of its requirements.

Strengthening international law: rule of law and maintenance of international peace and security

On 22 June 2006 in connection with a public debate on the item entitled "Strengthening international law: rule of law and maintenance of international peace and security", the Council heard statements by the Legal Counsel of the United Nations and the President of the International Court of Justice, Judge Rosalyn Higgins. At the conclusion of the debate, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2006/28) in which it reaffirmed the role of international law in fostering stability and order in international relations. The Council also reaffirmed its commitment to the peaceful settlement of disputes, including by use of regional preventive mechanisms and the International Court of Justice. The Council emphasized that enhancement of the rule of law activities was crucial in peacebuilding in post-conflict societies and emphasized the role of the Peacebuilding Commission in that regard. The members of the Council called on States to comply with their obligations to end impunity and recalled the important role of sanctions in the maintenance and restoration of international peace and security. Lastly, the members expressed their commitment to ensuring that fair and clear procedures existed for placing individuals and entities on sanctions lists and for removing them.

International Court of Justice

On 7 November 2005, voting in parallel with the General Assembly, the Council elected Mohamed Bennouna, Thomas Buergenthal, Kenneth Keith, Bernard Sepulveda Amor and Leonid Skotnikov as members of the International Court of Justice for a term beginning on 6 February 2006.

International Tribunals

The Council, having taken note of the letter from the Secretary-General (S/2005/593), adopted on 30 September 2005 resolution 1629 (2005), assigning Judge Christine Van Den Wyngaert, a permanent judge of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia, to the *Prosecutor v. Mrksic et al.* case.

At public meetings held on 15 December 2005 and 7 June 2006, the Council heard statements by the Presidents and Prosecutors of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda. The members of the Council encouraged the two Tribunals to continue their strategies for the completion of their work, and considered that the transfer of Ante Gotovina to the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia represented a notable step and that the countries of the region must continue to cooperate closely to bring the other accused before the competent tribunals.

On 28 February 2006, following its consideration of a proposal made by the President of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1660 (2006), by which it authorized the Secretary-General to appoint, from among the ad litem judges elected in accordance with article 13 ter of the statute of the Tribunal, reserve judges to be present at each stage of the trial to which they had been appointed and to replace a judge if that judge was unable to continue sitting.

At informal consultations held on 31 March on the question of the death of the former President of the former Yugoslavia, Slobodan Milosevic, the Council held a videoconference with the President and Registrar of the Tribunal, who provided information on the medical facilities at the Tribunal and on the status of the ongoing investigations. The Council asked them to keep it informed of progress in the investigation into the death of Slobodan Milosevic.

Further to a letter dated 27 March 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council and to the President of the General Assembly (S/2006/199), on 10 April the Council adopted resolution 1668 (2006), in which it decided to confirm that Judge Joaquín Canivell could continue to sit as an ad litem judge.

On 13 June, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1684 (2006), by which it decided to extend until 31 December 2008 the term of office of 11 permanent judges of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda.

Working Group on Tribunals

Pursuant to the request by the President of the Tribunal, the Working Group on the International Tribunals considered on 20 January 2006 the possibility of amending the statute of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia with a view to having a fourth judge sit in the three chambers of the Tribunal. The Working Group endorsed the proposed amendment and instructed the Office of Legal Affairs to coordinate with the Tribunal in drafting the amendment.

United Nations peacekeeping operations

On 22 February 2006, the Council held a public meeting, at which the Under-Secretary-General, Mark Malloch Brown, briefed the Council on the steps the Secretariat was taking on the recent audit of peacekeeping procurement conducted by the Office of Internal Oversight Services.

On 23 February, the Council held a public meeting, at which the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations briefed the Council on the progress made by the Department of Peacekeeping Operations in implementing the strategy for the prevention of sexual exploitation and abuse in peacekeeping operations. The Council was also briefed by the Permanent Representative of Jordan, Prince Zeid Al-Hussein, Adviser to the Secretary-General on sexual exploitation and abuse by United Nations peacekeeping personnel, on the items on the reform agenda.

The Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations actively continued its work and held seven meetings to facilitate and improve cooperation among members of the Security Council, the troop-contributing countries and other significant actors and the Secretariat. The meetings focused on important peacekeeping issues, including inter-mission cooperation, and developments in the Eritrea and Ethiopia region and the future of UNMEE.

Small arms

On 20 March 2006, the Security Council held an open debate on the report of the Secretary-General on small arms (S/2006/109) dated 17 February 2006. The representative of the Department for Disarmament Affairs stressed that supporting States in building the necessary capacity to improve the effectiveness of the arms embargoes was among the areas requiring further efforts, with particular regard to the monitoring of national air spaces and maritime borders, and the need to integrate long-term control measures in the disarmament, demobilization and reintegration process. The members of the Council and the representatives of States invited to participate in the debate stressed the importance of bringing national legislation into line with Security Council arms embargoes.

Cooperation between the United Nations and regional organizations in maintaining international peace and security

On 17 October 2005, the Council adopted resolution 1631 (2005) on cooperation between the United Nations and regional organizations in maintaining international peace and security, whereby it set up a framework for enhanced dialogue and cooperation between the Security Council and regional organizations, primarily through regular meetings. High-level representatives of regional and subregional organizations (African Union Commission; Association of Southeast Asian Nations; Commonwealth of Independent States; Council of Europe; European Union; League of Arab States; North Atlantic Treaty Organization; Organization of American States; Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe; and South-East Europe Cooperation Process) participated in the debate.

Women and peace and security

On 27 October 2005, the Council held an open debate on women and peace and security to mark the fifth anniversary of the adoption of resolution 1325 (2000). The Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations gave examples of progress in the protection of women and in their involvement in peacekeeping. After the debate, in which some 40 speakers participated, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2005/52) in which it reaffirmed its commitment to resolution 1325 (2000), while urging Member States, regional and subregional organizations and the United Nations system to enhance the role of women in decision-making with regard to all peace processes, post-conflict reconstruction and the rebuilding of societies.

Humanitarian situation in Africa

On 19 December 2005, the Council heard a briefing by the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs, Jan Egeland, on the humanitarian situation in Africa. The Under-Secretary-General stressed the link between humanitarian crises and peace and security, and called for Council action in response. The Council members shared his concerns and emphasized the need to ensure better protection of civilians and better delivery of humanitarian assistance.

In consultations held on 20 April 2006, the Council was told by the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs that the disastrous combination of a worsening humanitarian situation, obstruction by the Government of the Sudan, rebel violence and weakened support of the international community had left relief operations in the Darfur region on the verge of breakdown. He also said that more pressure needed to be put on both the Government and the rebel movements to observe the ceasefire and reach a peace agreement. With regard to northern Uganda, he said that the situation was still bad, but he saw hope because the Government was working with the international community on a concrete action plan to improve the humanitarian situation. He nevertheless urged the Council to remain seized of the issue, and Council members urged all concerned to make efforts to improve the humanitarian situation on the ground.

Protection of civilians in armed conflict

On 9 December 2005, the Council held an open debate on the protection of civilians in armed conflict. The Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and the Vice-President of the International Committee of the Red Cross, Jacques Forster, briefed the Council, and statements were made by Council members and representatives of other Member States. The debate focused on the need to prevent armed conflicts and to address their root causes; the role of peacekeeping missions and regional organizations in providing protection; and the challenges of addressing sexual violence and ending impunity.

On 28 April 2006, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1674 (2006), in which it demanded relevant actions for addressing the various aspects of the issue of protection of civilians in armed conflict.

Peacebuilding Commission

On 20 December 2005, the Council adopted resolution 1645 (2005), by which it operationalized the decision of the September 2005 World Summit to establish a Peacebuilding Commission.

Also on 20 December, the Council adopted resolution 1646 (2005), by which it decided that the permanent members of the Council would be members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission, together with two non-permanent members, to be selected annually.

On 13 January 2006, further to the adoption of resolution 1646 (2005), the Council unanimously decided to select Denmark and the United Republic of Tanzania as the two non-permanent members of the Council to serve on the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission for 2006 (see S/2006/25).

Children and armed conflict

On 21 February 2006, the Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations briefed the Working Group established pursuant to Council resolution 1612 (2005) on children and armed conflict.

On 24 July, following a meeting of the Council on the item entitled "Children and armed conflict", the President read out a statement (S/PRST/2006/33), by which the members of the Council welcomed the progress made since the adoption of resolution 1612 (2005), in particular the establishment of a monitoring and reporting mechanism on children and armed conflict. The Council also welcomed the appointment of a new Special Representative of the Secretary-General for children and armed conflict, Radhika Coomaraswamy. The Council also underlined the importance of a sustained investment in development, especially in health, education and skills training, to secure the successful reintegration of children in their communities. Lastly, the Council stated that it looked forward to the next report on the implementation of resolution 1612 (2005) and its previous resolutions on children affected by armed conflict.

Subsidiary bodies

On 19 December 2005, the Council held an open meeting for a briefing by the five outgoing Permanent Representatives in their capacities as Chairmen of subsidiary bodies of the Council. The representatives reported on the work of the Committees concerning Somalia, Sierra Leone, Iraq, non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction (Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)) and the Democratic Republic of the Congo, and on that of the Working Group established pursuant to resolution 1566 (2004) and the Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa.

Working methods of the Security Council

On 19 July 2006, the members of the Security Council endorsed a note by the President of the Security Council (S/2006/507) summarizing the achievements of the Council's Informal Working Group on Documentation and Other Procedural Questions since January 2006.

Other matters

Security Council summit

On 14 September 2005, at a Security Council summit attended by Heads of State or Government, the Council unanimously adopted resolution 1624 (2005), calling on all States to prohibit by law incitement to commit terrorist acts, and resolution 1625 (2005), aimed at strengthening the effectiveness of the Security Council's role in conflict prevention, particularly in Africa.

Informal event

On 6 February 2006, the Council hosted an event at which it invited the Chairman of the United States Senate Foreign Relations Committee and other Senators to meet informally with members of the Security Council.

Islamic Republic of Iran

On 9 December 2005, the President of the Security Council made a statement to the press condemning remarks made by the President of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, concerning Israel and the denial of the Holocaust.

Admission of new Members

On 22 June 2006, the Security Council unanimously adopted resolution 1691 (2006), by which it recommended to the General Assembly that the Republic of Montenegro be admitted to membership in the United Nations.

Part I
Activities relating to all questions considered by the Security Council under its responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security

I
Resolutions adopted by the Security Council during the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

Resolution number	*Date of adoption*	*Subject*
1618 (2005)	4 August 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
1619 (2005)	11 August 2005	The situation concerning Iraq
1620 (2005)	31 August 2005	The situation in Sierra Leone
1621 (2005)	6 September 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
1622 (2005)	13 September 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
1623 (2005)	13 September 2005	The situation in Afghanistan
1624 (2005)	14 September 2005	Threats to international peace and security
1625 (2005)	14 September 2005	Threats to international peace and security
1626 (2005)	19 September 2005	The situation in Liberia
1627 (2005)	23 September 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
1628 (2005)	30 September 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
1629 (2005)	30 September 2005	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991
1630 (2005)	14 October 2005	The situation in Somalia
1631 (2005)	17 October 2005	Cooperation between the United Nations and regional organizations in maintaining international peace and security
1632 (2005)	18 October 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
1633 (2005)	21 October 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

Resolution number	*Date of adoption*	*Subject*
1634 (2005)	28 October 2005	The situation concerning Western Sahara
1635 (2005)	28 October 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
1636 (2005)	31 October 2005	The situation in the Middle East
1637 (2005)	8 November 2005	The situation concerning Iraq
1638 (2005)	11 November 2005	The situation in Liberia
1639 (2005)	21 November 2005	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina
1640 (2005)	23 November 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
1641 (2005)	30 November 2005	The situation in Burundi
1642 (2005)	14 December 2005	The situation in Cyprus
1643 (2005)	15 December 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
1644 (2005)	15 December 2005	The situation in the Middle East
1645 (2005)	20 December 2005	Post-conflict peacebuilding
1646 (2005)	20 December 2005	Post-conflict peacebuilding
1647 (2005)	20 December 2005	The situation in Liberia
1648 (2005)	21 December 2005	The situation in the Middle East (UNDOF)
1649 (2005)	21 December 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
1650 (2005)	21 December 2005	The situation in Burundi
1651 (2005)	21 December 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
1652 (2006)	24 January 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
1653 (2006)	27 January 2006	The situation in the Great Lakes region
1654 (2006)	31 January 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
1655 (2006)	31 January 2006	The situation in the Middle East (UNIFIL)
1656 (2006)	31 January 2006	The situation in Georgia
1657 (2006)	6 February 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
1658 (2006)	14 February 2006	The question concerning Haiti
1659 (2006)	15 February 2006	The situation in Afghanistan

Resolution number	*Date of adoption*	*Subject*
1660 (2006)	28 February 2006	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991
1661 (2006)	14 March 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
1662 (2006)	23 March 2006	The situation in Afghanistan
1663 (2006)	24 March 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
1664 (2006)	29 March 2006	The situation in the Middle East
1665 (2006)	29 March 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
1666 (2006)	31 March 2006	The situation in Georgia
1667 (2006)	31 March 2006	The situation in Liberia
1668 (2006)	10 April 2006	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991
1669 (2006)	10 April 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
1670 (2006)	13 April 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
1671 (2006)	25 April 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
1672 (2006)	25 April 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
1673 (2006)	27 April 2006	Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction
1674 (2006)	28 April 2006	Protection of civilians in armed conflict
1675 (2006)	28 April 2006	The situation concerning Western Sahara
1676 (2006)	10 May 2006	The situation in Somalia
1677 (2006)	12 May 2006	The situation in Timor-Leste
1678 (2006)	15 May 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
1679 (2006)	16 May 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
1680 (2006)	17 May 2006	The situation in the Middle East
1681 (2006)	31 May 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia

Resolution number	*Date of adoption*	*Subject*
1682 (2006)	2 June 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
1683 (2006)	13 June 2006	The situation in Liberia
1684 (2006)	13 June 2006	International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serous Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994
1685 (2006)	13 June 2006	The situation in the Middle East (UNDOF)
1686 (2006)	15 June 2006	The situation in the Middle East
1687 (2006)	15 June 2006	The situation in Cyprus
1688 (2006)	16 June 2006	The situation in Sierra Leone
1689 (2006)	20 June 2006	The situation in Liberia
1690 (2006)	20 June 2006	The situation in Timor-Leste
1691 (2006)	22 June 2006	Admission of new Members
1692 (2006)	30 June 2006	The situation in Burundi
1693 (2006)	30 June 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
1694 (2006)	13 July 2006	The situation in Liberia
1695 (2006)	15 July 2006	Letter dated 4 July 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Japan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/481)
1696 (2006)	31 July 2006	Non-proliferation
1697 (2006)	31 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East (UNIFIL)
1698 (2006)	31 July 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

II

Statements made by the President of the Security Council during the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

Statement by the President	*Date*	*Subject*
S/PRST/2005/38	2 August 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PRST/2005/39	19 August 2005	The situation in Guinea-Bissau
S/PRST/2005/40	23 August 2005	The situation in Afghanistan
S/PRST/2005/41	30 August 2005	The situation in Burundi
S/PRST/2005/42	20 September 2005	The role of civil society in conflict prevention and the pacific settlement of disputes
S/PRST/2005/43	22 September 2005	The situation in Burundi
S/PRST/2005/44	23 September 2005	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PRST/2005/45	4 October 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
S/PRST/2005/46	4 October 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/PRST/2005/47	4 October 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
S/PRST/2005/48	13 October 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PRST/2005/49	14 October 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PRST/2005/50	18 October 2005	The question concerning Haiti
S/PRST/2005/51	24 October 2005	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)
S/PRST/2005/52	27 October 2005	Women and peace and security
S/PRST/2005/53	31 October 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
S/PRST/2005/54	9 November 2005	The situation in Somalia
S/PRST/2005/55	10 November 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
S/PRST/2005/56	23 November 2005	The situation in Afghanistan
S/PRST/2005/57	30 November 2005	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question

Statement by the President	*Date*	*Subject*
S/PRST/2005/58	30 November 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PRST/2005/59	7 December 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
S/PRST/2005/60	9 December 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PRST/2005/61	12 December 2005	The situation in the Middle East
S/PRST/2005/62	14 December 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
S/PRST/2005/63	20 December 2005	The situation in Sierra Leone
S/PRST/2005/64	21 December 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
S/PRST/2005/65	21 December 2005	The situation in the Middle East (UNDOF)
S/PRST/2005/66	21 December 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/PRST/2005/67	21 December 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PRST/2006/1	6 January 2006	The question concerning Haiti
S/PRST/2006/2	19 January 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PRST/2006/3	23 January 2006	The situation in the Middle East
S/PRST/2006/4	25 January 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/PRST/2006/5	3 February 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PRST/2006/6	3 February 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PRST/2006/7	9 February 2006	The question concerning Haiti
S/PRST/2006/8	14 February 2006	The situation concerning Iraq
S/PRST/2006/9	23 February 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PRST/2006/10	24 February 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
S/PRST/2006/11	15 March 2006	The situation in Somalia
S/PRST/2006/12	23 March 2006	The situation in Burundi
S/PRST/2006/13	27 March 2006	The question concerning Haiti
S/PRST/2006/14	29 March 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PRST/2006/15	29 March 2006	Non-proliferation
S/PRST/2006/16	11 April 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan

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S/PRST/2006/17	25 April 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PRST/2006/18	25 April 2006	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
S/PRST/2006/19	25 April 2006	The situation in Chad and the Sudan
S/PRST/2006/20	27 April 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PRST/2006/21	9 May 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PRST/2006/22	15 May 2006	The question concerning Haiti
S/PRST/2006/23	24 May 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PRST/2006/24	24 May 2006	The situation concerning Iraq
S/PRST/2006/25	25 May 2006	The situation in Timor-Leste
S/PRST/2006/26	13 June 2006	The situation in the Middle East (UNDOF)
S/PRST/2006/27	22 June 2006	Admission of new Members
S/PRST/2006/28	22 June 2006	Strengthening international law: rule of law and maintenance of international peace and security
S/PRST/2006/29	29 June 2006	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
S/PRST/2006/30	12 July 2006	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
S/PRST/2006/31	13 July 2006	The situation in Somalia
S/PRST/2006/32	19 July 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PRST/2006/33	24 July 2006	Children and armed conflict
S/PRST/2006/34	27 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East
S/PRST/2006/35	30 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East

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Official communiqués issued by the Security Council during the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

Symbol	*Date*	*Subject*
S/PV.5253	31 August 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PV.5257	9 September 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5258	12 September 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5265	21 September 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in the Sudan pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5267	21 September 2005	The situation concerning Iraq
S/PV.5271	29 September 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5279	13 October 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PV.5286	19 October 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5291	24 October 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5310	28 November 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Operation in Burundi pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Symbol	*Date*	*Subject*
S/PV.5316	7 December 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5322	13 December 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PV.5330	16 December 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5333	20 December 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5345	13 January 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PV.5348	17 January 2006	The situation in Afghanistan
S/PV.5349	19 January 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5355	25 January 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5357	26 January 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5358	26 January 2006	The situation in Georgia
S/PV.5367	9 February 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5370	10 February 2006	The situation in Afghanistan

Symbol	*Date*	*Subject*
S/PV.5383	13 March 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5391	21 March 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in the Sudan pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5395	24 March 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5398	28 March 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5414	18 April 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PV.5416	19 April 2006	Briefings by the Minister for Foreign Affairs and the Minister of Defence of Uganda
S/PV.5418	21 April 2006	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.5420	25 April 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5427	27 April 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/PV.5433	8 May 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5447	31 May 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5449	31 May 2006	Briefing by the Chairman of the African Union

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S/PV.5452	6 June 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5460	14 June 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
S/PV.5464	15 June 2006	The situation concerning Iraq
S/PV.5475	27 June 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Operation in Burundi pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5483	11 July 2006	The situation in Georgia
S/PV.5485	13 July 2006	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)
S/PV.5495	25 July 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
S/PV.5496	26 July 2006	The situation in Afghanistan

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Monthly assessments by former Presidents of the work of the Security Council for the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

Month	*Country*	*Symbol*
August 2005	Japan	S/2005/637
September 2005	Philippines	S/2005/791
October 2005	Romania	S/2005/763
November 2005	Russian Federation	S/2006/142
December 2005	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	S/2006/153
January 2006	United Republic of Tanzania	S/2006/653
February 2006	United States of America	S/2006/322
March 2006	Argentina	S/2006/324
April 2006	China	S/2006/295
May 2006	Congo	S/2006/661
June 2006	Denmark	S/2006/663
July 2006	France	S/2006/664

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Meetings of the Security Council held during the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

Meeting	*Date*	*Subject*
5245	2 August 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5246	4 August 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
5247	11 August 2005	The situation concerning Iraq Letter dated 3 August 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/509)
5248	19 August 2005	The situation in Guinea-Bissau
5249	23 August 2005	The situation in Afghanistan Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security (S/2005/525)
5250	24 August 2005	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5251	29 August 2005	The situation in Timor-Leste Progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Office in Timor-Leste (S/2005/533)
5252	30 August 2005	The situation in Burundi
5253	31 August 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5254	31 August 2005	The situation in Sierra Leone Twenty-fifth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (S/2005/273 and Add.1 and 2)
5255	6 September 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Special report of the Secretary-General on elections in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2005/320 and Add.1)
5256	7 September 2005	The situation concerning Iraq

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5257	9 September 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5258	12 September 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5259	13 September 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia Report of the Secretary-General on Ethiopia and Eritrea (S/2005/553 and Add.1)
5260	13 September 2005	The situation in Afghanistan
5261	14 September 2005	Threats to international peace and security
5262	19 September 2005	Consideration of the draft report of the Security Council to the General Assembly
5263	19 September 2005	The situation in Liberia Eighth progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Liberia (S/2005/560)
5264	20 September 2005	The role of civil society in conflict prevention and the pacific settlement of disputes Letter dated 7 September 2005 from the Permanent Representative of the Philippines to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2005/594)
5265	21 September 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in the Sudan pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5266	21 September 2005	The situation concerning Iraq Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 30 of resolution 1546 (2004)(S/2005/585)
5267	21 September 2005	The situation concerning Iraq

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5268	22 September 2005	The situation in Burundi Special report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Burundi (S/2005/586)
5269	23 September 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (S/2005/579)
5270	23 September 2005	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5271	29 September 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5272	30 September 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Nineteenth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2005/603)
5273	30 September 2005	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 Identical letters dated 14 September 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council (S/2005/593)
5274	4 October 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
5275	4 October 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
5276	4 October 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
5277	13 October 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5278	13 October 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5279	13 October 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

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5280	14 October 2005	The situation in Somalia Letter dated 5 October 2005 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/625)
5281	14 October 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5282	17 October 2005	Cooperation between the United Nations and regional organizations in maintaining international peace and security Letter dated 10 October 2005 from the Permanent Representative of Romania to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2005/638)
5283	18 October 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5284	18 October 2005	The question concerning Haiti
5285	18 October 2005	The question concerning Haiti Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (S/2005/631)
5286	19 October 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5287	20 October 2005	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5288	21 October 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5289	24 October 2005	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) Letter dated 7 October 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/635)

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5290	24 October 2005	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) Letter dated 7 October 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/635)
5291	24 October 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5292	25 October 2005	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 20 October 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/662)
5293	26 October 2005	Briefings by Chairmen of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
5294	27 October 2005	Women and peace and security Report of the Secretary-General on women and peace and security (S/2005/636)
5295	28 October 2005	The situation concerning Western Sahara Report of the Secretary-General on the situation concerning Western Sahara (S/2005/648)

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5296	28 October 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Nineteenth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2005/603)
5297	31 October 2005	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 20 October 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/662)
5298	31 October 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
5299	7 November 2005	Election of five members of the International Court of Justice (S/2005/446, S/2005/447 and Corr.1 and Add.1 and S/2005/448 and Corr.1)
5300	8 November 2005	The situation concerning Iraq
5301	9 November 2005	The situation concerning Iraq
5302	9 November 2005	The situation in Somalia Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Somalia (S/2005/642)
5303	10 November 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
5304	11 November 2005	The situation in Liberia
5305	15 November 2005	Security Council mission Briefing by the Head of the Security Council mission to Central Africa
5306	15 November 2005	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina Letter dated 7 November 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/706)

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5307	21 November 2005	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina Letter dated 2 November 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/698) Letter dated 7 November 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/706)
5308	23 November 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
5309	23 November 2005	The situation in Afghanistan
5310	28 November 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Operation in Burundi pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5311	30 November 2005	The situation in Burundi Fifth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Burundi (S/2005/728)
5312	30 November 2005	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5313	30 November 2005	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5314	30 November 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5315	6 December 2005	Security Council mission Report of the Security Council mission to Central Africa, 4 to 11 November 2005 (S/2005/716)
5316	7 December 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5317	7 December 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
5318	9 December 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

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5319	9 December 2005	Protection of civilians in armed conflict
		Report of the Secretary-General on the protection of civilians in armed conflict (S/2005/740)
5320	12 December 2005	The situation in the Middle East
5321	13 December 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5322	13 December 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5323	13 December 2005	The situation in the Middle East
		Letter dated 12 December 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/775)
5324	14 December 2005	The situation in Cyprus
		Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus (S/2005/743 and Corr.1)
5325	14 December 2005	The situation concerning Iraq
		Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 30 of resolution 1546 (2004) (S/2005/766)
5326	14 December 2005	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
5327	15 December 2005	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
		Letter dated 7 November 2005 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/699)
5328	15 December 2005	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

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		International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serous Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 Letter dated 30 November 2005 from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/781) Letter dated 5 December 2005 from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/782)
5329	15 December 2005	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 12 December 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/775)
5330	16 December 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

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5331	19 December 2005	The situation in Africa Briefing by the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator
5332	19 December 2005	Briefings by Chairmen of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council
5333	20 December 2005	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5334	20 December 2005	The situation in Sierra Leone Twenty-seventh report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (S/2005/777)
5335	20 December 2005	Post-conflict peacebuilding
5336	20 December 2005	The situation in Liberia Letter dated 7 December 2005 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/745)
5337	20 December 2005	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5338	21 December 2005	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
5339	21 December 2005	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (S/2005/767)
5340	21 December 2005	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
5341	21 December 2005	The situation in Burundi Fifth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Burundi (S/2005/728)
5342	21 December 2005	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan

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5343	6 January 2006	The question concerning Haiti
5344	13 January 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (S/2005/821) Monthly report of the Secretary-General on Darfur (S/2005/825)
5345	13 January 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (S/2005/821) Monthly report of the Secretary-General on Darfur (S/2005/825)
5346	16 January 2006	Briefing by the Chairman-in-Office of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe
5347	17 January 2006	The situation in Afghanistan
5348	17 January 2006	The situation in Afghanistan
5349	19 January 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5350	19 January 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire Seventh progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (S/2006/2)
5351	23 January 2006	The situation in Timor-Leste Progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Office in Timor-Leste (S/2006/24)
5352	23 January 2006	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 26 October 2005 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2005/673)
5353	24 January 2006	Briefing by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

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5354	24 January 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire Seventh progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (S/2006/2)
5355	25 January 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5356	25 January 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
5357	26 January 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5358	26 January 2006	The situation in Georgia Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Abkhazia, Georgia (S/2006/19)
5359	27 January 2006	The situation in the Great Lakes region Peace, security and development in the Great Lakes region Letter dated 18 January 2006 from the Permanent Representative of the United Republic of Tanzania to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2006/27)
5360	31 January 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
5361	31 January 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5362	31 January 2006	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (S/2006/26)
5363	31 January 2006	The situation in Georgia Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Abkhazia, Georgia (S/2006/19)

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5364	3 February 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5365	3 February 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5366	6 February 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
		Letter dated 1 February 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/71)
5367	9 February 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5368	9 February 2006	The question concerning Haiti
		Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (S/2006/60)
5369	10 February 2006	The situation in Afghanistan
5370	10 February 2006	The situation in Afghanistan
5371	14 February 2006	The situation concerning Iraq
5372	14 February 2006	The question concerning Haiti
		Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (S/2006/60)
5373	14 February 2006	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)
		Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (S/2006/45)
5374	15 February 2006	The situation in Afghanistan
5375	21 February 2006	Briefings by Chairmen of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council
5376	22 February 2006	United Nations peacekeeping operations
5377	22 February 2006	The question concerning Haiti
5378	23 February 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

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5379	23 February 2006	United Nations peacekeeping operations
5380	24 February 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
5381	28 February 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5382	28 February 2006	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991
5383	13 March 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5384	14 March 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia Report of the Secretary-General on Ethiopia and Eritrea (S/2006/140)
5385	14 March 2006	The situation in Afghanistan Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security (S/2006/145)
5386	15 March 2006	The situation concerning Iraq Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 30 of resolution 1546 (2004) (S/2006/137)
5387	15 March 2006	The situation in Somalia Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Somalia (S/2006/122)
5388	16 March 2006	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 14 March 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/161)
5389	17 March 2006	The situation in Liberia

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5390	20 March 2006	Small arms Report of the Secretary-General on small arms (S/2006/109)
5391	21 March 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in the Sudan pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5392	21 March 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan Monthly report of the Secretary-General on Darfur (S/2006/148) Report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (S/2006/160)
5393	23 March 2006	The situation in Afghanistan Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security (S/2006/145)
5394	23 March 2006	The situation in Burundi Sixth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Burundi (S/2006/163)
5395	24 March 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5396	24 March 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan Monthly report of the Secretary-General on Darfur (S/2006/148) Report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (S/2006/160)
5397	27 March 2006	The question concerning Haiti
5398	28 March 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5399	29 March 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

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5400	29 March 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5401	29 March 2006	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 1644 (2005) (S/2006/176)
5402	29 March 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan Letter dated 30 January 2006 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/65)
5403	29 March 2006	Non-proliferation
5404	30 March 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5405	31 March 2006	The situation in Georgia Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Abkhazia, Georgia (S/2006/173)
5406	31 March 2006	The situation in Liberia Tenth progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Liberia (S/2006/159)
5407	10 April 2006	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 Letter dated 27 March 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/199)
5408	10 April 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Letter dated 30 March 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/206)
5409	11 April 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan

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5410	13 April 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia Report of the Secretary-General on Ethiopia and Eritrea (S/2006/140)
5411	17 April 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question Letter dated 10 April 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Bahrain to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/227) Letter dated 11 April 2006 from the Charge d'affaires a. i. of the Permanent Mission of Yemen to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/239) Letter dated 12 April 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Malaysia to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/240)
5412	18 April 2006	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina
5413	18 April 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5414	18 April 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5415	19 April 2006	Briefings by the Minister for Foreign Affairs and the Minister of Defence of Uganda
5416	19 April 2006	Briefings by the Minister for Foreign Affairs and the Minister of Defence of Uganda
5417	21 April 2006	The situation in the Middle East
5418	21 April 2006	The situation in the Middle East
5419	24 April 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5420	25 April 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meeting	*Date*	*Subject*
5421	25 April 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Letter dated 12 April 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/219)
5422	25 April 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5423	25 April 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5424	25 April 2006	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
5425	25 April 2006	The situation in Chad and the Sudan Letter dated 13 April 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/256)
5426	27 April 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5427	27 April 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5428	27 April 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5429	27 April 2006	Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction Letter dated 25 April 2006 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/257)
5430	28 April 2006	Protection of civilians in armed conflict Report of the Secretary-General on the protection of civilians in armed conflict (S/2005/740)
5431	28 April 2006	The situation concerning Western Sahara Report of the Secretary-General on the situation concerning Western Sahara (S/2006/249)

Meeting	*Date*	*Subject*
5432	5 May 2006	The situation in Timor-Leste End of mandate report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Office in Timor-Leste (S/2006/251)
5433	8 May 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5434	9 May 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5435	10 May 2006	The situation in Somalia Letter dated 4 May 2006 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/229)
5436	12 May 2006	The situation in Timor-Leste End of mandate report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Office in Timor-Leste (S/2006/251)
5437	15 May 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
5438	15 May 2006	The question concerning Haiti
5439	16 May 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5440	17 May 2006	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 18 April 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/248)
5441	19 May 2006	The situation in Chad and the Sudan
5442	24 May 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire Eighth report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (S/2006/222)
5443	24 May 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question

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5444	24 May 2006	The situation concerning Iraq
5445	25 May 2006	The situation in Timor-Leste Letter dated 24 May 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/319)
5446	30 May 2006	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
5447	31 May 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5448	31 May 2006	Briefing by the Chairman of the African Union
5449	31 May 2006	Briefing by the Chairman of the African Union
5450	31 May 2006	The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia
5451	2 June 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire
5452	6 June 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5453	7 June 2006	International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

Meeting	*Date*	*Subject*
		International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serous Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 Letter dated 29 May 2006 from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/353) Letter dated 29 May 2006 from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/358)
5454	13 June 2006	The situation in Liberia
5455	13 June 2006	International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serous Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 Letter dated 3 May 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/349)

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5456	13 June 2006	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (S/2006/333)
5457	13 June 2006	The situation in Timor-Leste
5458	14 June 2006	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 10 June 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/375)
5459	14 June 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5460	14 June 2006	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan
5461	15 June 2006	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 10 June 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/375)
5462	15 June 2006	Security Council mission Briefing by the Security Council mission to the Sudan, Chad and the African Union Headquarters in Addis Ababa
5463	15 June 2006	The situation concerning Iraq Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 30 of resolution 1546 (2004) (S/2006/360)
5464	15 June 2006	The situation concerning Iraq Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 30 of resolution 1546 (2004) (S/2006/360)
5465	15 June 2006	The situation in Cyprus Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus (S/2006/315)

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5466	16 June 2006	Security Council mission Briefing by the head of the Security Council mission to the Democratic Republic of the Congo
5467	16 June 2006	The situation in Sierra Leone Letter dated 31 March 2006 from the Permanent Representative of the Netherlands to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/207) Letter dated 15 June 2006 from the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/406)
5468	20 June 2006	The situation in Liberia Letter dated 7 June 2006 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/379)
5469	20 June 2006	The situation in Timor-Leste Letter dated 13 June 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/383) Letter dated 13 June 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Timor-Leste to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2006/391)
5470	20 June 2006	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (S/2006/361)

Meeting	*Date*	*Subject*
5471	21 June 2006	Admission of new Members Note by the Secretary-General (S/2006/409)
5472	21 June 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5473	22 June 2006	Admission of new Members Report of the Committee on the Admission of New Members concerning the application of the Republic of Montenegro for admission to membership in the United Nations (S/2006/425)
5474	22 June 2006	Strengthening international law: rule of law and maintenance of international peace and security Letter dated 7 June 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Denmark to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2006/367)
5475	27 June 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Operation in Burundi pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5476	28 June 2006	Protection of civilians in armed conflict
5477	29 June 2006	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
5478	29 June 2006	Security Council mission Report of the Security Council mission to the Sudan and Chad (S/2006/433)
5479	30 June 2006	The situation in Burundi Seventh report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Burundi (S/2006/429)
5480	30 June 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Twenty-first report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2006/390)

Meeting	*Date*	*Subject*
5481	30 June 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
		Letter dated 29 June 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Algeria to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/458)
		Letter dated 29 June 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Qatar to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/462)
5482	6 July 2006	Security Council mission
		Report of the Security Council mission on the electoral process in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2006/434)
5483	11 July 2006	The situation in Georgia
		Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Abkhazia, Georgia (S/2006/435)
5484	12 July 2006	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
5485	13 July 2006	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)
5486	13 July 2006	The situation in Somalia
5487	13 July 2006	The situation in Liberia
		Eleventh progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Liberia (S/2006/376)
5488	13 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
		Letter dated 29 June 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Algeria to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/458)
		Letter dated 29 June 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Qatar to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/462)

Meeting	*Date*	*Subject*
5489	14 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 13 July 2006 from the Chargé d'affaires a. i. of the Permanent Mission of Lebanon to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/517)
5490	15 July 2006	Letter dated 4 July 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Japan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/481)
5491	19 July 2006	The situation in Côte d'Ivoire Letter dated 12 July 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/516)
5492	20 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East
5493	21 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
5494	24 July 2006	Children and armed conflict Letter dated 6 July 2006 from the Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2006/494)
5495	25 July 2006	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B
5496	26 July 2006	The situation in Afghanistan
5497	27 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East
5498	30 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East
5499	30 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East
5500	31 July 2006	Non-proliferation
5501	31 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (S/2006/560)

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5502	31 July 2006	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Letter dated 18 July 2006 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/525)
5503	31 July 2006	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 31 July 2006 from the Chargé d'affaires a. i. of the Permanent Mission of Lebanon to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/596)

VI
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A. Annual reports of committees

S/2005/813	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia
S/2005/843	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone
S/2006/22	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities
S/2005/827	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1518 (2003)
S/2006/464	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia
S/2006/54	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2005/799	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
S/2006/55	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire
S/2006/543	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan

B. Annual reports of working groups

S/2005/833	Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa
S/2005/789	Working Group established pursuant to resolution 1566 (2004)
S/2005/842	Informal Working Group on General Issues of Sanctions
S/2006/497	Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict

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Meetings of the Security Council and troop-contributing countries held during the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

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5257	9 September 2005	United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
5258	12 September 2005	United Nations Mission in Liberia
5265	21 September 2005	United Nations Mission in the Sudan
5271	29 September 2005	United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
5286	19 October 2005	United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
5291	24 October 2005	United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara
5310	28 November 2005	United Nations Operation in Burundi
5316	7 December 2005	United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus
5330	16 December 2005	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force
5333	20 December 2005	United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone
5349	19 January 2006	United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire
5355	25 January 2006	United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon
5357	26 January 2006	United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia
5367	9 February 2006	United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti
5383	13 March 2006	United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
5391	21 March 2006	United Nations Mission in the Sudan
5395	24 March 2006	United Nations Mission in Liberia
5398	28 March 2006	United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia
5420	25 April 2006	United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara
5433	8 May 2006	United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea
5447	31 May 2006	United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus
5452	6 June 2006	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force
5475	27 June 2006	United Nations Operation in Burundi
5495	25 July 2006	United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

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Committee on the Admission of New Members	
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Fifty-seventh session	
147th	27 September 2005
148th	29 September 2005
Fifty-eighth session	
149th	6 December 2005
150th	8 December 2005
Fifty-ninth session	
151st	7 March 2006
152nd	9 March 2006
Sixtieth session	
153rd	27 June 2006
154th	29 June 2006
Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia	
32nd	5 October 2005
Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities	
31st	1 November 2005
32nd	13 February 2006
33rd	15 May 2006
34th	25 May 2006

Meeting *Date*

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

Plenary meetings

29 September; 6, 13 and 20 October; 3 and 17 November; 1, 8 and 15 December 2005; 19 and 26 January; 2 and 16 February; 2, 16, 23 and 30 March; 13 April; 4 and 18 May; 8 June; 6 and 20 July 2006

Meetings of Subcommittee A with experts

30 August; 21 September; 19 October; 7 and 21 November; 12 December 2005; 8 February, 15 June 2006

Meetings of Subcommittee A with Member States

21 November 2005; 21 June 2006

Meetings of Subcommittee B with experts

29 August; 22 September; 2 November; 14 November; 5 December 2005; 16 January; 10 February; 14 July 2006

Meetings of Subcommittee B with Member States

22 September; 2 November 2005

Meetings of Subcommittee C with experts

31 August; 26 September; 21 October; 23 November; 9 December 2005; 27 January; 27 June 2006

Meetings of Subcommittee C with Member States

21 October 2005; 27 January 2006

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia

7th	10 May 2006
8th	13 June 2006
9th	25 July 2006

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)

Plenary meetings

11 and 25 August; 2 September; 4 October; 30 November 2005; 27 July 2006

Meetings of Subcommittee A with experts

3, 16 and 31 August; 27 September; 11 October 2005; 22 February 2006;1, 7, 14 and 29 March 2006

Meetings of Subcommittee B with experts

4, 18 and 30 August; 30 September; 11 October 2005; 22 and 27 February; 7, 14 and 29 March 2006

Meeting *Date*

Meetings of Subcommittee C with experts

2 and 16 August; 1 and 28 September; 17 October 2005; 24 February; 1 and 10 March; 5 April 2006

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire

7th	26 August 2005
8th	23 January 2006
9th	17 May 2006

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan

4th	9 January 2006

Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations

19 August; 21 October; 15 November 2005; 18 January; 30 March; 30 May; 7 July 2006

Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa

12 October; 18 November; 15 December 2005

Working Group established pursuant to resolution 1566 (2004)

28 April 2006

Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict

16 November 2005; 21 February; 2 May; 26 June 2006

Informal Working Group on General Issues of Sanctions

27 September, 11 and 22 November, 12 December 2005; 12 April; 19 May; 6 June; 7 and 27 July 2006

Informal Working Group on Documentation and Other Procedural Questions

9 March; 5 April; 3, 10, 17 and 24 May; 7, 13, 21 and 28 June; 5 July 2006

IX
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Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities

Analytical Support and Sanctions Monitoring Team established pursuant to resolutions 1526 (2004) and 1617 (2005)	S/2005/572 S/2005/761, annex I S/2006/154

Côte d'Ivoire

Group of Experts established pursuant to resolutions 1584 (2005) and 1632 (2005)	S/2005/699 S/2006/204

Democratic Republic of the Congo

Group of Experts established pursuant to resolutions 1616 (2005) and 1654 (2006)	S/2006/53 and Add.1 S/2006/525

Liberia

Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolutions 1607 (2005) and 1647 (2005)	S/2005/745 S/2006/379

Somalia

Monitoring Group established pursuant to resolutions 1587 (2005) and 1630 (2005)	S/2005/625 S/2006/229

Sudan

Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolutions 1591 (2005) and 1651 (2005)	S/2006/65 S/2006/250

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Symbol	*Date*	*Report*
S/2005/716	14 November 2005	Report of the Security Council mission to Central Africa, 4 to 11 November 2005
S/2005/723	16 November 2005	Report of the mission of the Chairman of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations to Ethiopia and Eritrea, 6 to 9 November 2005
S/2006/433	22 June 2006	Report of the Security Council mission to the Sudan and Chad, 4 to 10 June 2006
S/2006/434	22 June 2006	Report of the Security Council mission on the electoral process in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, 10 to 12 June 2006

XI
Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated, 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

Peacekeeping operation	*Established by resolution*	*Resolution(s) relating to the operation's mandate adopted during the reporting period*
United Nations Military Observer Group in India and Pakistan (UNMOGIP)	47 (1948)	none
United Nations Truce Supervision Organization (UNTSO)	50 (1948)	none
United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP)	186 (1964)	1642 (2005) 1687 (2006)
United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF)	350 (1974)	1648 (2005) 1685 (2006)
United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL)	425 (1978) 426 (1978)	1655 (2006) 1697 (2006)
United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (MINURSO)	690 (1991)	1634 (2005) 1675 (2006)
United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia (UNOMIG)	858 (1993)	1656 (2006) 1666 (2006)
United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (UNMIK)	1244 (1999)	none
United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (UNAMSIL)	1270 (1999)	1610 (2005)*
United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUC)	1279 (1999)	1621 (2005) 1628 (2005) 1635 (2005) 1669 (2006) 1671 (2006) 1693 (2006)
United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea (UNMEE)	1320 (2000)	1622 (2005) 1661 (2006) 1670 (2006) 1678 (2006) 1681 (2006)
United Nations Mission in Liberia (UNMIL)	1509 (2003)	1626 (2005) 1638 (2005) 1657 (2006) 1667 (2006)

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* Mandate terminated on 31 December 2005.

Peacekeeping operation	*Established by resolution*	*Resolution(s) relating to the operation's mandate adopted during the reporting period*
United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (UNOCI)	1528 (2004)	1652 (2006) 1657 (2006) 1667 (2006) 1682 (2006)
United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (MINUSTAH)	1542 (2004)	1658 (2006)
United Nations Operation in Burundi (ONUB)	1545 (2004)	1641 (2005) 1650 (2005) 1669 (2006) 1692 (2006)
United Nations Mission in the Sudan (UNMIS)	1590 (2005)	1627 (2005) 1663 (2006)

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Assistance missions and offices established, functioning or terminated, 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

Mission or office	*Established by resolution*	*Resolution(s) relating to the mandate adopted during the reporting period*
United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA)	1401 (2002)	1662 (2006)
United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq (UNAMI)	1500 (2003)	1619 (2005)
United Nations Integrated Office in Sierra Leone (UNIOSIL)	1620 (2005)	none
United Nations Office in Timor-Leste (UNOTIL)	1599 (2005)	1677 (2006) 1690 (2006)

XIII
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Symbol	*Date submitted*	*Subject*
S/2005/506	2 August 2005	Eighteenth report on the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2005/513	8 August 2005	Twentieth report pursuant to paragraph 14 of resolution 1284 (1999)
S/2005/523	11 August 2005	Monthly report on Darfur
S/2005/525	12 August 2005	The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security
		Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan
S/2005/533	18 August 2005	Progress report on the United Nations Office in Timor-Leste (13 May-15 August 2005)
S/2005/553 and Add.1	30 August and 6 September 2005	Ethiopia and Eritrea
S/2005/560	1 September 2005	Eighth progress report on the United Nations Mission in Liberia
S/2005/585	7 September 2005	Report pursuant to paragraph 30 of resolution 1546 (2004)
S/2005/575	12 September 2005	Developments in Guinea-Bissau and the activities of the United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office in Guinea-Bissau
S/2005/579	12 September 2005	The Sudan
S/2005/586	14 September 2005	Special report on the United Nations Operation in Burundi
S/2005/592	19 September 2005	Monthly report on Darfur
S/2005/596	20 September 2005	Twenty-sixth report on the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone
S/2005/603	26 September 2005	Nineteenth report on the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2005/604	26 September 2005	Sixth progress report on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*Subject*
S/2005/631	6 October 2005	United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti
S/2005/636	10 October 2005	Women and peace and security
S/2005/642	11 October 2005	The situation in Somalia
S/2005/648	13 October 2005	The situation concerning Western Sahara
S/2005/650	14 October 2005	Monthly report on Darfur
S/2005/657	19 October 2005	The situation in Abkhazia, Georgia
S/2005/673	26 October 2005	Second semi-annual report on the implementation of resolution 1559 (2004)
S/2005/679	27 October 2005	Report in follow-up to the statement by the President of the Security Council of 22 July 2005 on the situation in the Central African Republic
S/2005/701	7 November 2005	Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine
S/2005/719	16 November 2005	Monthly report on Darfur
S/2005/728	21 November 2005	Fifth report on the United Nations Operation in Burundi
S/2005/740	28 November 2005	Protection of civilians in armed conflict
S/2005/743 and Corr.1	29 November 2005	United Nations operation in Cyprus
S/2005/752	2 December 2005	Developments in Guinea-Bissau and the activities of the United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office in Guinea-Bissau
S/2005/764	7 December 2005	Ninth progress report on the United Nations Mission in Liberia
S/2005/766	7 December 2005	Report pursuant to paragraph 30 of resolution 1546 (2004)
S/2005/767	7 December 2005	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (10 June-9 December 2005)
S/2005/769	8 December 2005	Twenty-first report pursuant to paragraph 14 of resolution 1284 (1999)
S/2005/777	12 December 2005	Twenty-seventh report on the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone
S/2005/821	21 December 2005	The Sudan
S/2005/825	23 December 2005	Monthly report on Darfur

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*Subject*
S/2005/832	28 December 2005	Twentieth report on the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2005/831	29 December 2005	The situation in the Central African Republic and the activities of the United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office in the Central African Republic
S/2006/1	3 January 2006	Ethiopia and Eritrea
S/2006/2	3 January 2006	Seventh progress report on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/2006/19	13 January 2006	The situation in Abkhazia, Georgia
S/2006/24	17 January 2006	Progress report on the United Nations Office in Timor-Leste (16 August 2005-13 January 2006)
S/2006/26	18 January 2006	United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (22 July 2005-20 January 2006)
S/2006/45	25 January 2006	United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
S/2006/46	25 January 2006	Preparations for the International Conference on the Great Lakes Region
S/2006/59	30 January 2006	Monthly report on Darfur
S/2006/60	2 February 2006	United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti
S/2006/109	17 February 2006	Small arms
S/2006/122	21 February 2006	The situation in Somalia
S/2006/137	3 March 2006	Report pursuant to paragraph 30 of resolution 1546 (2004)
S/2006/140	6 March 2006	Ethiopia and Eritrea
S/2006/145	7 March 2006	The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security
		Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan
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S/2006/159	14 March 2006	Tenth progress report on the United Nations Mission in Liberia

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*Subject*
S/2006/160	14 March 2006	The Sudan
S/2006/162	14 March 2006	Developments in Guinea-Bissau and the activities of the United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office in Guinea-Bissau
S/2006/163	14 March 2006	Sixth report on the United Nations Operation in Burundi
S/2006/173	17 March 2006	The situation in Abkhazia, Georgia
S/2006/176	21 March 2006	Report pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 1644 (2005)
S/2006/218	5 April 2006	Monthly report on Darfur
S/2006/222	11 April 2006	Eighth report on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/2006/248	18 April 2006	Third semi-annual report on the implementation of resolution 1559 (2004)
S/2006/249	19 April 2006	The situation concerning Western Sahara
S/2006/251 and Corr.1	20 April 2006	End of mandate report on the United Nations Office in Timor-Leste (14 January-12 April 2006)
S/2006/269	28 April 2006	First report on the United Nations Integrated Office in Sierra Leone
S/2006/306	19 May 2006	Darfur
S/2006/310	22 May 2006	Report pursuant to paragraphs 10 and 14 of Security Council resolution 1649 (2005)
S/2006/315	23 May 2006	United Nations operation in Cyprus
S/2006/333	1 June 2006	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (10 December 2005-1 June 2006)
S/2006/360	2 June 2006	Report pursuant to paragraph 30 of resolution 1546 (2004)
S/2006/361	5 June 2006	United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
S/2006/376	9 June 2006	Eleventh progress report on the United Nations Mission in Liberia
S/2006/389	13 June 2006	Children and armed conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*Subject*
S/2006/390	13 June 2006	Twenty-first report on the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2006/418	20 June 2006	The situation in Somalia
S/2006/428	21 June 2006	Twenty-second report pursuant to paragraph 14 of resolution 1284 (1999)
S/2006/429 and Add.1	21 June and 14 August 2006	Seventh report on the United Nations Operation in Burundi
S/2006/430	21 June 2006	Monthly report on Darfur
S/2006/426	23 June 2006	The Sudan
S/2006/435	26 June 2006	The situation in Abkhazia, Georgia
S/2006/441	27 June 2006	The situation in the Central African Republic and the activities of the United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office in the Central African Republic
S/2006/478	29 June 2006	Report pursuant to resolutions 1653 (2006) and 1663 (2006)
S/2006/487	6 July 2006	Developments in Guinea-Bissau and the activities of the United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office in that country
S/2006/532	17 July 2006	Ninth progress report on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/2006/560	21 July 2006	United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (21 January-18 July 2006)
S/2006/580	26 July 2006	Justice and reconciliation for Timor-Leste
S/2006/590	28 July 2006	A regional-global security partnership: challenges and opportunities
S/2006/591 and Add.1	28 July and 28 August 2006	Darfur
S/2006/592	28 July 2006	United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti

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Symbol	*Date*	*Subject*
S/2005/562	2 September 2005	Meeting of the Security Council at the level of Heads of State and Government to be held on 14 September 2005
S/2005/582	19 September 2005	Adoption of the annual report of the Security Council to the General Assembly
S/2005/659	20 October 2005	Chairman of the Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict
S/2005/660	20 October 2005	Chairman of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa
S/2005/734	28 November 2005	Bureau of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1636 (2005)
S/2005/789	16 December 2005	Annual report of the Working Group established pursuant to resolution 1566 (2004)
S/2005/814	21 December 2005	Extension of the mandate of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa
S/2005/828	27 December 2005	Report on a seminar on the cooperation between the United Nations and the African regional organizations in the field of peace and security, held at United Nations Headquarters on 15 December 2005
S/2005/841	29 December 2005	Extension of the mandate of the Informal Working Group on General Issues of Sanctions
S/2005/842	29 December 2005	Annual report of the Informal Working Group on General Issues of Sanctions
S/2005/833	30 December 2005	Annual report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa
S/2006/7	5 January 2006	Bureaux of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council
S/2006/66	31 January 2006	Bureaux of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council
S/2006/78	7 February 2006	Descriptive index to notes and statements by the President of the Security Council relating to documentation and procedure

Symbol	*Date*	*Subject*
S/2006/270	28 April 2006	Report of the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency on implementation of the Safeguards Agreement in the Islamic Republic of Iran
S/2006/497	10 July 2006	Report on the activities of the Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict since the adoption of resolution 1612 (2005)
S/2006/507	19 July 2006	Security Council documentation and working methods and procedure

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5245 (2 August 2005); 5269 (23 September 2005); 5277 (13 October 2005); 5321 (13 December 2005); 5322 (13 December 2005); 5342 (21 December 2005); 5344 (13 January 2006); 5345 (13 January 2006); 5364 (3 February 2006); 5392 (21 March 2006); 5396 (24 March 2006); 5402 (29 March 2006); 5409 (11 April 2006); 5413 (18 April 2006); 5414 (18 April 2006); 5422 (25 April 2006); 5423 (25 April 2006); 5434 (9 May 2006); 5439 (16 May 2006); 5459 (14 June 2006); 5460 (14 June 2006)

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Consultations of the whole

2 and 30 August; 21 September; 10 October; 16 November; 20 and 21 December 2005; 18 January; 2, 3, 9 and 27 February; 6, 10, 13, 16, 21 and 24 March; 4, 11, 13, 18-20 and 24-26 April; 2, 5, 8, 15, 16 and 19 May; 2 and 27 June; 12, 27 and 28 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1627 (2005); 1651 (2005); 1663 (2006); 1665 (2006); 1672 (2006); 1679 (2006)

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S/PRST/2005/38; S/PRST/2005/48; S/PRST/2005/67; S/PRST/2006/5; S/PRST/2006/16; S/PRST/2006/17; S/PRST/2006/21

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Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolutions 1591 (2005) and 1651 (2005)

Reports:	S/2006/65 (30 January 2006)
	S/2006/250 (19 April 2006)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Mission in the Sudan

Resolution 1590 (2005)	Established
Resolution 1627 (2005)	Mandate extended until 24 March 2006

Resolution 1663 (2006) Mandate extended until 24 September 2006

Security Council missions and their reports

Mission to the Sudan and Chad, 4 to 10 June 2006

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Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/523	11 August 2005	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
S/2005/579	12 September 2005	Resolution 1590 (2005)
S/2005/592	19 September 2005	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
S/2005/650	14 October 2005	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
S/2005/719	16 November 2005	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
S/2005/821	21 December 2005	Resolution 1590 (2005)
S/2005/825	23 December 2005	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
S/2006/59	30 January 2006	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
S/2006/148	9 March 2006	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
S/2006/160	14 March 2006	Resolution 1590 (2005)
S/2006/218	5 April 2006	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
S/2006/306	19 May 2006	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
S/2006/430	21 June 2006	Resolutions 1556 (2004), 1564 (2004), 1574 (2004) and 1590 (2005)
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S/2005/274	18 April 2005	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council*
S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/616	27 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the Secretary-General
S/2005/630	3 October 2005	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2005/643	11 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Nigeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/676	26 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Nigeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/765	5 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Nigeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/770	7 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/826	16 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General
S/2005/834	22 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Nigeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/835	22 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Nigeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/852	22 December 2005	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General

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S/2006/8	4 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/9	6 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/23	13 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/29	16 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/31	17 January 2006	Identical letters from the representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/65	30 January 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/95	3 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/96	10 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/99	10 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/103	14 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya to the President of the Security Council
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S/2006/156	10 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/169	15 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General

S/2006/187	24 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
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S/2006/250	19 April 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/292	27 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/293	5 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/301	17 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/302	17 May 2006	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/307	17 May 2006	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/341	26 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/359	31 May 2006	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/461	28 June 2006	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/490	5 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/543	19 July 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/558	20 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
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5246 (4 August 2005); 5274 (4 October 2005); 5298 (31 October 2005); 5303 (10 November 2005); 5338 (21 December 2005); 5424 (25 April 2006); 5446 (30 May 2006); 5477 (29 June 2006); 5484 (12 July 2006)

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Analytical Support and Sanctions Monitoring Team established pursuant to resolutions 1526 (2004) and 1617 (2005)

Reports: S/2005/572 (2 September 2005)
S/2005/761, annex I (1 December 2005)
S/2006/154 (8 March 2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/274	18 April 2005	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council*
S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/516	8 August 2005	Fifth report of Paraguay**
S/2005/517	8 August 2005	Fourth report of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

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** The reports of States were transmitted to the President of the Security Council by letters from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001).

S/2005/518	8 August 2005	Fifth report of Brazil
S/2005/519	9 August 2005	Fourth report of Myanmar
S/2005/524	10 August 2005	Fifth report of Pakistan
S/2005/527	12 August 2005	Note verbale from the Permanent Mission of Egypt to the Secretary-General
S/2005/548	15 August 2005	Letter from the representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the Secretary-General
S/2005/550	25 August 2005	Fourth report of Barbados
S/2005/551	25 August 2005	Second report of Sao Tome and Principe
S/2005/567	29 August 2005	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/562	2 September 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/563	2 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/572	2 September 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/573	2 September 2005	Fourth report of the United Arab Emirates
S/2005/565	6 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Cuba to the Secretary-General
S/2005/583	12 September 2005	Fifth report of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
S/2005/595	14 September 2005	Fifth report of Latvia
S/2005/612	17 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Bahrain to the Secretary-General
S/2005/621	28 September 2005	Note verbale from the Permanent Mission of Madagascar to the Secretary-General

S/2005/623	29 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Republic of Moldova to the Secretary-General
S/2005/624	29 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the Secretary-General
S/2005/626	30 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Cuba to the Secretary-General
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/671	17 October 2005	Sixth report of Australia
S/2005/663	21 October 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/672	21 October 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/95/Add.2	26 October 2005	Addendum to the fourth report of Andorra
S/2005/705	31 October 2005	Sixth report of Bulgaria
S/2005/700	3 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Cuba to the Secretary-General
S/2005/760	1 December 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/761	1 December 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities to the President of the Security Council

S/2005/754	2 December 2005	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2005/778	9 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uzbekistan to the Secretary-General
S/2005/817	13 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/787	14 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uzbekistan to the Secretary-General
S/2005/800	15 December 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/789	16 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/826	16 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General
S/2005/822 and Corr.1	19 December 2005	Third report of the United Republic of Tanzania
S/2005/823	19 December 2005	Third report of Palau
S/2005/818	21 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/846	29 December 2005	Fifth report of Malaysia
S/2006/22	13 January 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/34	18 January 2006	Fourth report of the Republic of Moldova
S/2006/35	27 January 2006	Fifth report of Hungary
S/2005/265/Add.1 and Corr.1	31 January 2006	Addendum to the fourth report of the Syrian Arab Republic
S/2006/68	31 January 2006	Fifth report of Norway

S/2006/69	31 January 2006	Fourth report of the United States of America
S/2006/70	31 January 2006	Fifth report of Japan
S/2006/86	3 February 2006	Fourth report of Tajikistan
S/2006/87	3 February 2006	Fifth report of Panama
S/2006/88	9 February 2006	Sixth report of El Salvador
S/2006/98	10 February 2006	Fourth report of the Russian Federation
S/2006/107	15 February 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/108	15 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/119	20 February 2006	Sixth report of Estonia
S/2006/120	20 February 2006	Fifth report of Singapore
S/2006/121	20 February 2006	Fifth report of Viet Nam
S/2006/147	8 March 2006	Fifth report of Turkey
S/2006/154	8 March 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/149 and Add.1	10 March and 4 April 2006	Sixth report of Belarus
S/2006/171	13 March 2006	Fourth report of Qatar
S/2006/169	15 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/172 and Add.1	15 March and 20 April 2006	Fifth report of Djibouti
S/2006/174	20 March 2006	Third report of Benin
S/2006/183	22 March 2006	Fifth report of Israel
S/2006/185	23 March 2006	Fifth report of Canada

S/2006/211	29 March 2006	Third report of Tonga
S/2006/212	29 March 2006	Fifth report of Jordan
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S/2005/213/Add.1	20 April 2006	Addendum to the fourth report of Turkmenistan
S/2006/254	20 April 2006	Fifth report of Romania
S/2006/152	24 April 2006	Third report of Samoa
S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/276	4 May 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) to the President of the Security Council
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S/2006/281	4 May 2006	Fifth report of South Africa
S/2006/282	4 May 2006	Fourth report of the Congo
S/2006/283	4 May 2006	Fifth report of Ukraine
S/2006/284	4 May 2006	Fifth report of Poland
S/2006/299	15 May 2006	Fifth report of Namibia
S/2006/309	16 May 2006	Fifth report of Andorra
S/2006/308	18 May 2006	Letter from the representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the Secretary-General
S/2006/311	22 May 2006	Fifth report of Indonesia
S/2006/312	22 May 2006	Fifth report of Liechtenstein
S/2006/329	23 May 2006	Fifth report of Yemen
S/2006/364	24 May 2006	Letter from the representatives of Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2006/350	30 May 2006	Fourth report of Kyrgyzstan
S/2006/351	30 May 2006	Sixth report of Egypt
S/2006/352	31 May 2006	Third report of Ethiopia

S/2006/385	1 June 2006	Fifth report of Luxembourg
S/2006/371	1 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/384	8 June 2006	Fifth report of New Zealand
S/2006/386	8 June 2006	Fifth report of Cuba
S/2006/387 and Corr.1	8 June 2006	Report of Hungary pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/395	15 June 2006	Report of Paraguay pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/396	15 June 2006	Report of Yemen pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/397	15 June 2006	Report of the United States of America pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/398	15 June 2006	Report of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/399	15 June 2006	Report of Thailand pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/400	15 June 2006	Report of Tajikistan pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/401 and Add.1	15 and 21 June 2006	Report of Morocco pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/402	15 June 2006	Report of Japan pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/403	15 June 2006	Report of Bulgaria pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/404	15 June 2006	Fifth report of Slovakia
S/2006/415	16 June 2006	Fifth report of Monaco
S/2006/421	21 June 2006	Report of Qatar pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/422	21 June 2006	Report of Moldova pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/423	21 June 2006	Fifth report and report pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005) of Colombia
S/2006/424	21 June 2006	Fifth report of Lebanon

S/2006/452	21 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/431	22 June 2006	Report of El Salvador pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/444	27 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General
S/2006/445	28 June 2006	Fifth report and report pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005) of the Republic of Korea
S/2006/446	28 June 2006	Report of the Russian Federation pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/447	28 June 2006	Fifth report and report pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005) of Mexico
S/2006/472	29 June 2006	Fifth report and report pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005) of Lithuania
S/2006/473	29 June 2006	Report of Burkina Faso pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/470	30 June 2006	Fifth report and report pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005) of China
S/2006/471	30 June 2006	Fifth report and report pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005) of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
S/2006/477	30 June 2006	Fifth report of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela
S/2006/503	10 July 2006	Sixth report and report pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005) of the Czech Republic
S/2006/504	10 July 2006	Sixth report and report pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005) of Mauritius
S/2006/512	11 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2006/523	14 July 2006	Report of Denmark pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/506	17 July 2006	Report of Finland pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/527	17 July 2006	Report of Germany pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)

S/2006/544	17 July 2006	Report of Greece pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/545	17 July 2006	Fourth report and report pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005) of Seychelles
S/2006/547	19 July 2006	Report of France pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/551	20 July 2006	Report of Sweden pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/552	20 July 2006	Report of Slovenia pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/566	24 July 2006	Third report of Trinidad and Tobago
S/2006/567	24 July 2006	Report of Norway pursuant to resolution 1624 (2005)
S/2006/581	24 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council

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5247 (11 August 2005); 5256 (7 September 2005); 5266 (21 September 2005); 5267 (21 September 2005); 5300 (8 November 2005); 5301 (9 November 2005); 5325 (14 December 2005); 5371 (14 February 2006); 5386 (15 March 2006); 5444 (24 May 2006); 5463 (15 June 2006); 5464 (15 June 2006)

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S/PRST/2006/8; S/PRST/2006/24

Official communiqués

S/PV.5267; S/PV.5464

Assistance missions and offices established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq

Resolution 1500 (2003)	Established
Resolution 1619 (2005)	Mandate extended until 11 August 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/585	7 September 2005	Resolution 1546 (2004)
S/2005/766	7 December 2005	Resolution 1546 (2004)
S/2006/137	3 March 2006	Resolution 1546 (2004)
S/2006/360	2 June 2006	Resolution 1546 (2004)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/274	18 April 2005	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council*
S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/509	3 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/535	8 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/536	19 August 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/540	23 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/541	25 August 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/545	30 August 2005	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2005/612	17 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Bahrain to the Secretary-General
S/2005/652	14 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/656	17 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/687	31 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Iraq to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/691	31 October 2005	Letter from the representative of the United States of America to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/702	2 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/703	9 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

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S/2005/713	11 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/742	29 November 2005	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2005/753	2 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2005/826	16 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General
S/2005/807	19 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/847	20 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/827	23 December 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1518 (2003) to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/848	30 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/93	7 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/94	10 February 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/108	15 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/133	28 February 2006	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2006/169	15 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/182	23 March 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General
S/2006/194	24 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/195	28 March 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/247	17 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/291	10 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/339	23 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/340	26 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/342	30 May 2006	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2006/449	3 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Honduras to the Secretary-General
S/2006/377	9 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Iraq to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/394	12 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/420	21 June 2006	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2006/505	10 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2006/510	10 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/512	11 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

Chapter 4

The situation in Guinea-Bissau

Meetings of the Council

5248 (19 August 2005)

Consultations of the whole

12 and 19 August; 22 September; 14 December 2005; 23 March; 20 July 2006

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/39

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/575	12 September 2005	Resolutions 1233 (1999) and 1580 (2004) and S/PRST/2005/39
S/2005/752	2 December 2005	Resolutions 1233 (1999) and 1580 (2004)
S/2006/162	14 March 2006	Resolutions 1233 (1999) and 1580 (2004)
S/2006/487	6 July 2006	Resolutions 1233 (1999) and 1580 (2004)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/514	1 August 2005	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2005/795	2 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/796	15 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Chapter 5

The situation in Afghanistan

Meetings of the Council

5249 (23 August 2005); 5260 (13 September 2005); 5309 (23 November 2005); 5347 (17 January 2006); 5348 (17 January 2006); 5369 (10 February 2006); 5370 (10 February 2006); 5374 (15 February 2006); 5385 (14 March 2006); 5393 (23 March 2006); 5496 (26 July 2006)

Consultations of the whole

12 and 22 September; 17 and 23 November; 20 December 2005; 15 February; 21 March; 15 and 30 May; 25 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1623 (2005); 1659 (2006); 1662 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/40; S/PRST/2005/56

Official communiqués

S/PV.5348; S/PV.5370; S/PV.5496

Assistance missions and offices established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan

Resolution 1401 (2002)	Established
Resolution 1662 (2006)	Mandate extended until 23 March 2007

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/525	12 August 2005	General Assembly resolutions 59/112 A and B and Security Council resolution 1589 (2005)
S/2006/145	7 March 2006	Security Council resolution 1589 (2005) and General Assembly resolutions 60/32 A and B

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/574	9 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/634	10 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/754	2 December 2005	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2005/819	16 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/820	21 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/89	9 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Afghanistan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/90	9 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Afghanistan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/105	14 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Afghanistan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/106	14 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Afghanistan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/318	23 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/598	27 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

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Chapter 6

Items relating to the situation in the Middle East

A. The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question

Meetings of the Council

5250 (24 August 2005); 5270 (23 September 2005); 5287 (20 October 2005); 5312 (30 November 2005); 5313 (30 November 2005); 5337 (20 December 2005); 5361 (31 January 2006); 5365 (3 February 2006); 5381 (28 February 2006); 5404 (30 March 2006); 5411 (17 April 2006); 5419 (24 April 2006); 5443 (24 May 2006); 5472 (21 June 2006); 5481 (30 June 2006); 5488 (13 July 2006); 5493 (21 July 2006)

Consultations of the whole

24 August; 23 September; 20 and 28 October; 23 and 30 November; 20 December 2005; 31 January; 3 and 28 February; 14 and 16 March; 13 and 24 April; 24 May; 21 June; 12 July 2006

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/44; S/PRST/2005/57; S/PRST/2006/6

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/701	7 November 2005	General Assembly resolution 59/31

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/274	18 April 2005	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council*
S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/530	18 August 2005	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/559	26 August 2005	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General

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S/2005/552	29 August 2005	Letter from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General
S/2005/556	30 August 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People to the Secretary-General
S/2005/612	17 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Bahrain to the Secretary-General
S/2005/608	26 September 2005	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/609	26 September 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/610	27 September 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/617	29 September 2005	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/619	29 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya to the Secretary-General
S/2005/627	30 September 2005	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/640	10 October 2005	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/655	17 October 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/674	25 October 2005	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/680	27 October 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2005/681	27 October 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/683	27 October 2005	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2005/685	28 October 2005	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/720	15 November 2005	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/756	5 December 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/757	5 December 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/771	8 December 2005	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/776	9 December 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/797	13 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/798	16 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/826	16 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General
S/2006/11	5 January 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/20	13 January 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/30	19 January 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2006/83	7 February 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/108	15 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/110	17 February 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/115	20 February 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/116	20 February 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/123	21 February 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/127	24 February 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/144	6 March 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/165	14 March 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/169	15 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/197	20 March 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/181	22 March 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/182	23 March 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General
S/2006/205	30 March 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2006/209	3 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Cuba to the Secretary-General
S/2006/213	3 April 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/217	4 April 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General
S/2006/220	5 April 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/233	6 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/226	10 April 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/227	10 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Bahrain to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/234	11 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/239	11 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/240	12 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/241	17 April 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/244	17 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Qatar to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/279	5 May 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/297	15 May 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/314	22 May 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2006/330	25 May 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/336	25 May 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/347	30 May 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/374	8 June 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and President of the Security Council
S/2006/378	9 June 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and President of the Security Council
S/2006/382	12 June 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/388	13 June 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and President of the Security Council
S/2006/417	20 June 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/427	21 June 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/432	22 June 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/436	26 June 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/443	28 June 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/458	29 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Algeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/459	29 June 2006	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2006/460	29 June 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/462	29 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Qatar to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/463	29 June 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/475	29 June 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2006/465	30 June 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/479	3 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/485	5 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/491	5 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/489	6 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/511	6 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Finland to the Secretary-General
S/2006/499	7 July 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General
S/2006/501	10 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/502	10 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/546	10 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2006/519	12 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2006/520	13 July 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/549	14 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/538	18 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/548	19 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/553	19 July 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/554	20 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/556	20 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2006/581	24 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/569	25 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/570	25 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/579	26 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/582	26 July 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/594	26 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2006/593	28 July 2006	Note by the Secretary-General

B. The situation in the Middle East

1. Security Council resolution 1595 (2005)

Meetings of the Council

5292 (25 October 2005); 5297 (31 October 2005); 5323 (13 December 2005); 5329 (15 December 2005); 5388 (16 March 2006); 5401 (29 March 2006); 5458 (14 June 2006); 5461 (15 June 2006)

Consultations of the whole

25 and 30 August; 24-26, 28 and 31 October; 23 November; 13-15 December 2005; 16 and 23 March; 14 June 2006

Resolutions adopted

1636 (2005); 1644 (2005); 1664 (2006); 1686 (2006)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2006/176	21 March 2006	Resolution 1644 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/587	9 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/588	15 September 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/651	14 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General
S/2005/662	20 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/693	1 November 2005	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/717	14 November 2005	Identical notes verbales from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/725	14 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

S/2005/726	17 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/734	28 November 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/762	5 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General
S/2005/775	12 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/783	13 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General
S/2006/17	11 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/18	13 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/67	20 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/108	15 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/161	14 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/169	15 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/278	5 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General
S/2006/375	10 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/541	14 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/542	19 July 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

2. Security Council resolution 1559 (2004)

Meetings of the Council

5320 (12 December 2005); 5352 (23 January 2006); 5417 (21 April 2006); 5418 (21 April 2006); 5440 (17 May 2006)

Consultations of the whole

2 November; 12 December 2005; 4 and 23 January; 26 April; 12, 16 and 17 May; 17, 20 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1680 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/61; S/PRST/2006/3

Official communiqués

S/PV.5418

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/673	26 October 2005	Resolution 1559 (2004) and S/PRST/2004/36
S/2006/248	18 April 2006	Resolution 1559 (2004) and S/PRST/2004/36

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/274	18 April 2005	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council*
S/2005/673	26 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/725	14 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/726	17 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

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S/2005/731	21 November 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/837	28 December 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/67	20 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/76	3 February 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/259	24 April 2006	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General
S/2006/348	30 May 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/380	9 June 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2006/515	12 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/556	20 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2006/569	25 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council

3. United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

Meetings of the Council

5339 (21 December 2005); 5456 (13 June 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.H)

Consultations of the whole

16 December 2005; 6 and 8 June 2006

Resolutions adopted

1648 (2005); 1685 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/65; S/PRST/2006/26

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Truce Supervision Organization

Resolution 50 (1948)	Established

(A number of military observers are assigned to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force)

United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

Resolution 350 (1974)	Established
Resolution 1648 (2005)	Mandate extended until 30 June 2006
Resolution 1685 (2006)	Mandate extended until 31 December 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/767	7 December 2005	Resolution 350 (1974) and subsequent resolutions, including resolution 1605 (2005)
S/2006/333	1 June 2006	Resolution 350 (1974) and subsequent resolutions, including 1648 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/274	18 April 2005	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council*
S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/612	17 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Bahrain to the Secretary-General
S/2005/619	29 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya to the Secretary-General

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* Circulated after the issuance of the previous annual report of the Security Council (1 August 2004-31 July 2005).

S/2005/627	30 September 2005	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/826	16 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General
S/2006/6	4 January 2006	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/100	8 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/101	13 February 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/108	15 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/459	29 June 2006	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/475	29 June 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2006/479	3 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/491	5 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council

4. United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon and developments in the Israel-Lebanon sector

Meetings of the Council

5362 (31 January 2006); 5489 (14 July 2006); 5492 (20 July 2006); 5497 (27 July 2006); 5498 (30 July 2006); 5499 (30 July 2006); 5501 (31 July 2006); 5503 (31 July 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.K)

Consultations of the whole

21, 23 and 30 November 2005; 25 and 31 January; 12 , 14, 15, 17, 20, 25-28, 30 and 31 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1655 (2006); 1697 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2006/34; S/PRST/2006/35

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Truce Supervision Organization	
Resolution 50 (1948)	Established
United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon	
Resolutions 425 (1978) and 426 (1978)	Established
Resolution 1655 (2006)	Mandate extended until 31 July 2006
Resolution 1697 (2006)	Mandate extended until 31 August 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2006/26	18 January 2006	Resolution 1614 (2005)
S/2006/560	21 July 2006	Resolution 1655 (2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/274	18 April 2005	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council*

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* Circulated after the issuance of the previous annual report of the Security Council (1 August 2004-31 July 2005).

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General[*]
S/2005/526	11 August 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/546	25 August 2005	Letter from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General
S/2005/568	8 September 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/612	17 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Bahrain to the Secretary-General
S/2005/619	29 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya to the Secretary-General
S/2005/641	7 October 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/715	11 November 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/725	14 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/726	17 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/731	21 November 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/746	25 November 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/747	25 November 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/755	5 December 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2005/826	16 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General
S/2005/836	28 December 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/837	28 December 2005	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/5	4 January 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/6	4 January 2006	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/15	9 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General
S/2006/74	3 February 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/76	3 February 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/81	6 February 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/108	15 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/138	3 March 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/214	4 April 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/245	13 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/246	18 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/277	4 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General
S/2006/346	30 May 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/348	30 May 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/363	5 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General
S/2006/496	7 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General
S/2006/515	12 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/517	13 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/518	13 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/522	13 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/526	14 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/528	14 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/534	14 July 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic
S/2006/549	14 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2006/529	17 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/531	17 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/536	18 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/537	18 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/548	19 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/550	19 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/557	19 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Cuba to the Secretary-General
S/2006/556	20 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2006/565	24 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/571	24 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/581	24 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/569	25 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/570	25 July 2006	Identical letters from the observer of Palestine to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/575	26 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2006/578	26 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/582	26 July 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/594	26 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2006/593	28 July 2006	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2006/595	29 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/596	31 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Lebanon to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/599	31 July 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/606	31 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the Secretary-General

Chapter 7

The situation in Timor-Leste

Meetings of the Council

5251 (29 August 2005); 5351 (23 January 2006); 5432 (5 May 2006); 5436 (12 May 2006); 5445 (25 May 2006); 5457 (13 June 2006); 5469 (20 June 2006)

Consultations of the whole

29 August 2005; 10, 24, 25 and 30 May; 19 June; 19 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1677 (2006); 1690 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2006/25

Assistance missions and offices established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Office in Timor-Leste

Resolution 1599 (2005)	Established
Resolution 1677 (2006)	Mandate extended until 20 June 2006
Resolution 1690 (2006)	Mandate extended until 20 August 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/533	18 August 2005	Resolution 1599 (2005)
S/2006/24	17 January 2006	Resolution 1599 (2005)
S/2006/251 and Corr.1	20 April 2006	Resolution 1599 (2005) and letter dated 28 March 2006 from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General (S/2006/196)
S/2006/580	26 July 2006	Letter dated 28 September 2005 from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General (S/2005/613)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/613	28 September 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/39	20 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Timor-Leste to the Secretary-General
S/2006/157	10 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/196	28 March 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/230	10 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Timor-Leste to the Secretary-General
S/2006/319	24 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/320	24 May 2006	Letter from the representative of New Zealand to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/321	24 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Australia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/325	25 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Australia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/326	25 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Portugal to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/327	25 May 2006	Letter from the representative of New Zealand to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/337	26 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Portugal to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/338	26 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/383	13 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/391	13 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Timor-Leste to the Secretary-General

S/2006/411	16 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Timor-Leste to the Secretary-General
S/2006/440	27 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Australia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/559	20 July 2006	Letter from the representative of New Zealand to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 8

The situation in Burundi

Meetings of the Council

5252 (30 August 2005); 5268 (22 September 2005); 5311 (30 November 2005); 5341 (21 December 2005); 5394 (23 March 2006); 5479 (30 June 2006)

(see also part II, chapters 12.F, 24, 31 and 33)

Consultations of the whole

30 August; 19 September; 2, 28 and 30 November; 20 December 2005; 23 and 24 March; 27 and 30 June 2006

Resolutions adopted

1641 (2005); 1650 (2005); 1692 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/41; S/PRST/2005/43; S/PRST/2006/12

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Operation in Burundi

Resolution 1545 (2004)	Established
Resolution 1641 (2005)	Mandate extended until 15 January 2006
Resolution 1650 (2005)	Mandate extended until 1 July 2006
Resolution 1669 (2006)	Mandate modified
Resolution 1692 (2006)	Mandate extended until 31 December 2006

Security Council missions and their reports

Mission to Central Africa, 4 to 11 November 2005

Report: S/2005/716 (14 November 2005)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/586	14 September 2005	Resolutions 1577 (2004) and 1606 (2005)
S/2005/728	21 November 2005	Resolution 1602 (2005)
S/2006/163	14 March 2006	Resolution 1650 (2005)
S/2006/429 and Add.1	21 June and 14 August 2006	Resolution 1650 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/580	9 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Nigeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/616	27 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the Secretary-General
S/2005/644	11 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/667	21 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/682	27 October 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/736	23 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Burundi to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/770	7 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/27	18 January 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania to the Secretary-General
S/2006/206	30 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 9

The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

Meetings of the Council

5253 (31 August 2005); 5278 (13 October 2005); 5279 (13 October 2005); 5281 (14 October 2005); 5283 (18 October 2005); 5288 (21 October 2005); 5314 (30 November 2005); 5318 (9 December 2005); 5327 (15 December 2005); 5350 (19 January 2006); 5354 (24 January 2006); 5366 (6 February 2006); 5378 (23 February 2006); 5399 (29 March 2006); 5400 (29 March 2006); 5426 (27 April 2006); 5427 (27 April 2006); 5428 (27 April 2006); 5442 (24 May 2006); 5451 (2 June 2006); 5491 (19 July 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.J)

Consultations of the whole

19 August; 21 September; 9, 14 and 20 October; 16, 28 and 30 November; 8 and 14 December 2005; 17, 19, 24 and 26 January; 3 and 23 February; 8, 29 and 31 March; 17 April; 23 and 24 May; 2 June; 12, 19 and 26 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1632 (2005); 1633 (2005); 1643 (2005); 1652 (2006); 1657 (2006); 1682 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/49; S/PRST/2005/58; S/PRST/2005/60; S/PRST/2006/2; S/PRST/2006/9; S/PRST/2006/14; S/PRST/2006/20; S/PRST/2006/23; S/PRST/2006/32

Official communiqués

S/PV.5253; S/PV.5279; S/PV.5427

Panels and monitoring mechanisms and their reports

Group of Experts established pursuant to resolutions 1584 (2005) and 1632 (2005)

Reports: S/2005/699 (7 November 2005)
S/2006/204 (24 March 2006)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire

Resolution 1528 (2004)	Established
Resolution 1652 (2006)	Mandate extended until 15 December 2006
Resolution 1657 (2006)	Mandate modified
Resolution 1667 (2006)	Mandate modified
Resolution 1682 (2006)	Mandate modified

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/604	26 September 2005	Resolution 1603 (2005)
S/2006/2	3 January 2006	Resolution 1603 (2005)
S/2006/222	11 April 2006	Resolution 1603 (2005)
S/2006/532	17 July 2006	Resolution 1603 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/539	23 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/584	12 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/611	15 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/598	16 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Nigeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/639	6 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Nigeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/696	2 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/707	3 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/699	7 November 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/744	28 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/768	8 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/790	9 December 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) to the President of the Security Council

S/2005/829	13 December 2005	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2006/21	11 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Côte d'Ivoire to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/43	20 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Côte d'Ivoire to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/44	20 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/55	25 January 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/50	26 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Côte d'Ivoire to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/71	1 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/79	2 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/131	24 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/135	27 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/184	22 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/204	24 March 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/190	28 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/242	11 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/243	13 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/260	25 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/294	2 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Côte d'Ivoire to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/345	22 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/332	25 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/334	25 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/455	28 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/516	12 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/584	26 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 10

The situation in Sierra Leone

Meetings of the Council

5254 (31 August 2005); 5334 (20 December 2005); 5467 (16 June 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.I)

Consultations of the whole

10 and 30 August; 28 September 2005; 24, 28, 29 and 31 March; 10 and 26 April; 4 May; 16 June 2006

Resolutions adopted

1620 (2005); 1688 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/63

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone

Resolution 1270 (1999)	Established
Resolution 1610 (2005)	Mandate terminated on 31 December 2005

Assistance missions and offices established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Integrated Office in Sierra Leone

Resolution 1620 (2005)	Established

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/596	20 September 2005	Resolution 1610 (2005)
S/2005/777	12 December 2005	Resolution 1620 (2005)
S/2006/269	28 April 2006	Resolution 1620 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*

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* Circulated after the issuance of the previous annual report of the Security Council (1 August 2004-31 July 2005).

S/2005/561	29 August 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/724	10 November 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/779	7 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/780	12 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/838	22 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/839	28 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/843	30 December 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/207	31 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/237	7 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/365	6 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Liberia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/406	15 June 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 11

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Meetings of the Council

5255 (6 September 2005); 5272 (30 September 2005); 5275 (4 October 2005); 5296 (28 October 2005); 5340 (21 December 2005); 5356 (25 January 2006); 5360 (31 January 2006); 5408 (10 April 2006); 5421 (25 April 2006); 5480 (30 June 2006); 5502 (31 July 2006)

(see also part II, chapters 12.D, 24, 31 and 33)

Consultations of the whole

11 August; 29 September; 4 and 24 October; 2 November; 20 December 2005; 6, 24, 25 and 30 January; 15 and 28 February; 24 March; 7 and 11 April; 24 and 30 May; 2 and 30 June; 20 and 28 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1621 (2005); 1628 (2005); 1635 (2005); 1649 (2005); 1654 (2006); 1669 (2006); 1671 (2006); 1693 (2006); 1698 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/46; S/PRST/2005/66; S/PRST/2006/4

Panels and monitoring mechanisms and their reports

Group of Experts established pursuant to resolutions 1616 (2005) and 1654 (2006)

Reports: S/2006/53 and Add.1 (26 January and 20 February 2006)
S/2006/525 (18 July 2006)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Resolution 1279 (1999)	Established
Resolution 1621 (2005)	Mandate modified
Resolution 1628 (2005)	Mandate extended until 31 October 2005
Resolution 1635 (2005)	Mandate extended until 30 September 2006
Resolution 1669 (2006)	Mandate modified
Resolution 1671 (2006)	Mandate modified
Resolution 1693 (2006)	Mandate modified

Security Council missions and their reports

Mission to Central Africa, 4 to 11 November 2005

Report: S/2005/716 (14 November 2005)

Mission on the electoral process in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, 10 to 12 June 2006

Report: S/2006/434 (22 June 2006)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/506	2 August 2005	Resolutions 1565 (2004) and 1592 (2005)
S/2005/603	26 September 2005	Resolutions 1565 (2004) and 1592 (2005)
S/2005/832	28 December 2005	Resolutions 1565 (2005) and 1635 (2005)
S/2006/310	22 May 2006	Resolution 1649 (2005)
S/2006/390	13 June 2006	Resolutions 1565 (2004) and 1635 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/543	22 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/544	26 August 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/566	2 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/616	27 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the Secretary-General
S/2005/620	3 October 2005	Letter from the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/633	4 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/645	7 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/667	21 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/682	27 October 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2005/736	23 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Burundi to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/770	7 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/853	22 December 2005	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2006/28	17 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/54	17 January 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/27	18 January 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania to the Secretary-General
S/2006/53 and Add.1	26 January and 20 February 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/139	3 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/203	30 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/206	30 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/264	10 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/219	12 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/274	1 May 2006	Letter from the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/344	30 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2006/525	18 July 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/558	20 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 12

Strengthening cooperation with troop-contributing countries

A. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5257 (9 September 2005); 5286 (19 October 2005); 5383 (13 March 2006); 5433 (8 May 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 13)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5257; S/PV.5286; S/PV.5383; S/PV.5433

B. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5258 (12 September 2005); 5395 (24 March 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 15)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5258; S/PV.5395

C. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in the Sudan pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5265 (21 September 2005); 5391 (21 March 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 1)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5265; S/PV.5391

D. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5271 (29 September 2005)

(see also part II, chapter 11)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5271

E. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5291 (24 October 2005); 5420 (25 April 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 23)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5291; S/PV.5420

F. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Operation in Burundi pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5310 (28 November 2005); 5475 (27 June 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 8)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5310; S/PV.5475

G. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5316 (7 December 2005); 5447 (31 May 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 26)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5316; S/PV.5447

H. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5330 (16 December 2005); 5452 (6 June 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 6.B.3)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5330; S/PV.5452

I. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5333 (20 December 2005)

(see also part II, chapter 10)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5333

J. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5349 (19 January 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 9)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5349

K. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5355 (25 January 2006); 5495 (25 July 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 6.B.4)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5355; S/PV.5495

L. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5357 (26 January 2006); 5398 (28 March 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 32)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5357; S/PV.5398

M. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

Meetings of the Council

5367 (9 February 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 20)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5367

Chapter 13

The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia

Meetings of the Council

5259 (13 September 2005); 5276 (4 October 2005); 5308 (23 November 2005); 5317 (7 December 2005); 5326 (14 December 2005); 5380 (24 February 2006); 5384 (14 March 2006); 5410 (13 April 2006); 5437 (15 May 2006); 5450 (31 May 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.A)

Consultations of the whole

9 September; 4, 10, 19-21 and 26 October; 2, 3, 11, 17 and 23 November; 7, 13, 14 and 21 December 2005; 9 January; 8, 16 and 24 February; 13 March; 11 April; 8, 15, 22, 30 and 31 May; 27 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1622 (2005); 1640 (2005); 1661 (2006); 1670 (2006); 1678 (2006); 1681 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/47; S/PRST/2005/59; S/PRST/2005/62; S/PRST/2006/10

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea

Resolution 1320 (2000)	Established
Resolution 1622 (2005)	Mandate extended until 15 March 2006
Resolution 1661 (2006)	Mandate extended until 15 April 2006
Resolution 1670 (2006)	Mandate extended until 15 May 2006
Resolution 1678 (2006)	Mandate extended until 31 May 2006
Resolution 1681 (2006)	Mandate extended until 30 September 2006

Security Council missions and their reports

Mission of the Chairman of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations to Ethiopia and Eritrea, 6 to 9 November 2005

Report: S/2005/723 (16 November 2005)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/553 and Add.1	30 August and 6 September 2005	Resolution 1320 (2000)
S/2006/1	3 January 2006	Resolutions 1320 (2000) and 1640 (2005)

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2006/140	6 March 2006	Resolution 1320 (2000)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/668	24 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/688	28 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Eritrea to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/690	31 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Ethiopia to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/694	2 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/723	16 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Japan to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/737	25 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Eritrea to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/774	9 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Ethiopia to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/816	20 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Ethiopia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/3	3 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Eritrea to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/126	22 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the United States of America to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/143	6 March 2006	Letter from the representative of Eritrea to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/235	7 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/236	11 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/323	22 May 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Ethiopia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/328	25 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Ethiopia to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/362	2 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/581	24 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 14
Threats to international peace and security

Meetings of the Council

5261 (14 September 2005)

(see also part II, chapters 2 and 28)

Consultations of the whole

2, 12 and 13 September; 2 December 2005

Resolutions adopted

1624 (2005); 1625 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/562	2 September 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/828	27 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/833	30 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/27	18 January 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania to the Secretary-General

Chapter 15

The situation in Liberia

Meetings of the Council

5263 (19 September 2005); 5304 (11 November 2005); 5336 (20 December 2005); 5389 (17 March 2006); 5406 (31 March 2006); 5454 (13 June 2006); 5468 (20 June 2006); 5487 (13 July 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.B)

Consultations of the whole

12 and 19 September; 14 October; 11 November; 16 December 2005; 24, 28, 29 and 31 March; 10 and 26 April; 4 May; 8, 16 and 20 June; 10 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1626 (2005); 1638 (2005); 1647 (2005); 1667 (2006); 1683 (2006); 1689 (2006); 1694 (2006)

Panels and monitoring mechanisms and their reports

Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolutions 1607 (2005) and 1647 (2005)

Reports:	S/2005/745 (7 December 2005)
	S/2006/379 (7 June 2006)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Mission in Liberia

Resolution 1509 (2003)	Established
Resolution 1626 (2005)	Mandate extended until 31 March 2006
Resolution 1638 (2005)	Mandate modified
Resolution 1657 (2006)	Mandate modified
Resolution 1667 (2006)	Mandate extended until 30 September 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/560	1 September 2005	Resolution 1561 (2004)
S/2005/764	7 December 2005	Resolution 1626 (2005)
S/2006/159	14 March 2006	Resolution 1626 (2005)
S/2006/376	9 June 2006	Resolution 1667 (2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/738	21 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/739	28 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2005/802	1 December 2005	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2005/745	7 December 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/838	22 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/839	28 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/833	30 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/36	20 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/71	1 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/184	22 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/207	31 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/237	7 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/334	25 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/365	6 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Liberia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/379	7 June 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/406	15 June 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/438	23 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/464	28 June 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 16

The role of civil society in conflict prevention and the pacific settlement of disputes

Meetings of the Council

5264 (20 September 2005)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/42

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/594	7 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Philippines to the Secretary-General

Chapter 17

Items relating to the situation in the former Yugoslavia

A. International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

Meetings of the Council

5273 (30 September 2005); 5382 (28 February 2006); 5407 (10 April 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 27)

Consultations of the whole

19 September 2005; 27 February; 21 and 31 March; 7 April 2006

Resolutions adopted

1629 (2005); 1660 (2006); 1668 (2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/532 and Corr.1	17 August 2005	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2005/593	14 September 2005	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/781	30 November 2005	Letter from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/199	27 March 2006	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/231	10 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the President of the General Assembly

S/2006/353	29 May 2006	Letter from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 to the President of the Security Council

B. Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)

Meetings of the Council

5289 (24 October 2005); 5290 (24 October 2005); 5373 (14 February 2006); 5470 (20 June 2006); 5485 (13 July 2006)

Consultations of the whole

19 and 24 October; 9 November 2005; 23 January; 7 March; 13 July 2006

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/51

Official communiqués

S/PV.5485

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo

Resolution 1244 (1999)	Established

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2006/45	25 January 2006	Resolution 1244 (1999)
S/2006/361	5 June 2006	Resolution 1244 (1999)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/635	7 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/689	27 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/708	31 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

S/2005/709	10 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/167	8 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/210	3 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/228	10 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/288	8 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/368	7 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/574	24 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

C. The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Meetings of the Council

5306 (15 November 2005); 5307 (21 November 2005); 5412 (18 April 2006)

Consultations of the whole

21 November 2005

Resolutions adopted

1639 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/698	2 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/706	7 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

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S/2006/12	5 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/40	20 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/61	30 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/62	30 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/64	30 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Bosnia and Herzegovina to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/75	3 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/125	23 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/476	30 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 18

The situation in Somalia

Meetings of the Council

5280 (14 October 2005); 5302 (9 November 2005); 5387 (15 March 2006); 5435 (10 May 2006); 5486 (13 July 2006)

Consultations of the whole

4 and 14 October; 9 November 2005; 10 and 15 March; 10, 15, 16, 30 and 31 May; 8, 19, 21 and 30 June; 10 and 13 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1630 (2005); 1676 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/54; S/PRST/2006/11; S/PRST/2006/31

Panels and monitoring mechanisms and their reports

Monitoring Group established pursuant to resolutions 1587 (2005) and 1630 (2005)

Reports: S/2005/625 (5 October 2005)
S/2006/229 (4 May 2006)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/642	11 October 2005	S/PRST/2001/30
S/2006/122	21 February 2006	S/PRST/2001/30
S/2006/418	20 June 2006	S/PRST/2001/30

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/274	18 April 2005	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council[*]
S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General[*]

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S/2005/625	5 October 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/695	2 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/729	16 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/730	21 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/826	16 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General
S/2005/813	19 December 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/14	9 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Somalia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/37	16 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/166	3 March 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/261	20 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/262	25 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/229	4 May 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/313	22 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/442	28 June 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/486	29 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Austria to the Secretary-General
S/2006/561	14 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Finland to the Secretary-General
S/2006/581	24 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 19

Cooperation between the United Nations and regional organizations in maintaining international peace and security

Meetings of the Council

5282 (17 October 2005)

Consultations of the whole

14 October 2005

Resolutions adopted

1631 (2005)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2006/590	28 July 2006	Resolution 1631 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/567	29 August 2005	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/638	10 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Romania to the Secretary-General
S/2005/754	2 December 2005	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2005/828	27 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/833	30 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/27	18 January 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania to the Secretary-General

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Chapter 20

The question concerning Haiti

Meetings of the Council

5284 (18 October 2005); 5285 (18 October 2005); 5343 (6 January 2006); 5368 (9 February 2006); 5372 (14 February 2006); 5377 (22 February 2006); 5397 (27 March 2006); 5438 (15 May 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.M)

Consultations of the whole

18 October 2005; 6 January; 9, 10, 14, 15 and 17 February; 15 March; 25 April; 15 May 2006

Resolutions adopted

1658 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/50; S/PRST/2006/1; S/PRST/2006/7; S/PRST/2006/13; S/PRST/2006/22

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti

Resolution 1542 (2004)	Established
Resolution 1658 (2006)	Mandate extended until 15 August 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/631	6 October 2005	Resolutions 1542 (2004) and 1608 (2005)
S/2006/60	2 February 2006	Resolutions 1542 (2004) and 1608 (2005)
S/2006/592	28 July 2006	Resolution 1658 (2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2006/32	18 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/33	20 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2006/303	15 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/304	18 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/586	25 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/587	28 July 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Chapter 21

Briefings by Chairmen of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council

Meetings of the Council

5293 (26 October 2005); 5332 (19 December 2005); 5375 (21 February 2006)

Chapter 22

Women and peace and security

Meetings of the Council

5294 (27 October 2005)

Consultations of the whole

19 October 2005; 8 March 2006

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2005/52

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/636	10 October 2005	S/PRST/2004/40

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/664	23 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Romania to the Secretary-General
S/2005/669	24 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Sweden to the Secretary-General

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Chapter 23

The situation concerning Western Sahara

Meetings of the Council

5295 (28 October 2005); 5431 (28 April 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.E)

Consultations of the whole

24 October 2005; 18 January; 25 and 27 April 2006

Resolutions adopted

1634 (2005); 1675 (2006)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara

Resolution 690 (1991)	Established
Resolution 1634 (2005)	Mandate extended until 30 April 2006
Resolution 1675 (2006)	Mandate extended until 31 October 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/648	13 October 2005	Resolution 1598 (2005)
S/2006/249	19 April 2006	Resolution 1634 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/511	4 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/512	8 August 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/570	6 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/571	9 September 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/602	23 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Morocco to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/605	26 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Algeria to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/52	26 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Morocco to the Secretary-General
S/2006/84	7 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Namibia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/129	24 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Morocco to the Secretary-General
S/2006/258	24 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Algeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/266	26 April 2006	Identical letters from the representative of Namibia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/466	26 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/467	30 June 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Chapter 24

Security Council mission

Meetings of the Council

5305 (15 November 2005); 5315 (6 December 2005); 5462 (15 June 2006); 5466 (16 June 2006); 5478 (29 June 2006); 5482 (6 July 2006)

(see also part II, chapters 1, 8, 11, 13, 33 and 38)

Consultations of the whole

2, 11 and 17 November 2005; 28 March; 24 April; 24 May; 2 June 2006

Security Council missions and their reports

Mission to Central Africa, 4 to 11 November 2005

Report: S/2005/716 (14 November 2005)

Mission of the Chairman of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations to Ethiopia and Eritrea, 6 to 9 November 2005

Report: S/2005/723 (16 November 2005)

Mission to the Sudan and Chad, 4 to 10 June 2006

Report: S/2006/433 (22 June 2006)

Mission on the electoral process in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, 10 to 12 June 2006

Report: S/2006/434 (22 June 2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/682	27 October 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/694	2 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/770	7 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/833	30 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/341	26 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/344	30 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Chapter 25

Protection of civilians in armed conflict

Meetings of the Council

5319 (9 December 2005); 5430 (28 April 2006); 5476 (28 June 2006)

Consultations of the whole

20 December 2005; 27 April 2006

Resolutions adopted

1674 (2006)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/740	28 November 2005	S/PRST/2004/46

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/785	13 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/13	5 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Canada to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 26

The situation in Cyprus

Meetings of the Council

5324 (14 December 2005); 5465 (15 June 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.G)

Consultations of the whole

7 and 13 December 2005; 2, 14, 15 and 27 June 2006

Resolutions adopted

1642 (2005); 1687 (2006)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus

Resolution 186 (1964)	Established
Resolution 1642 (2005)	Mandate extended until 15 June 2006
Resolution 1687 (2006)	Mandate extended until 15 December 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/743 and Corr.1	29 November 2005	Resolution 186 (1964) and subsequent resolutions, including resolution 1604 (2005)
S/2006/315	23 May 2006	Resolution 186 (1964) and subsequent resolutions, including resolution 1642 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/510	2 August 2005	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2005/531	16 August 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General

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S/2005/537	19 August 2005	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2005/547	25 August 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2005/538	31 August 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2005/589	12 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/590	15 September 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/601	22 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2005/607	23 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2005/622	30 September 2005	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2005/618	3 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2005/628	4 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2005/654	14 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/666	20 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2005/670	24 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2005/675	25 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2005/714	10 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2005/721	14 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2005/722	16 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2005/733	21 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General

S/2005/826	16 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General
S/2006/16	10 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2006/47	23 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2006/48	24 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2006/82	31 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2006/72	2 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2006/91	6 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/92	9 February 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/177	21 March 2006	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2006/198	28 March 2006	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2006/286	9 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2006/300	15 May 2006	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2006/410	14 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2006/416	16 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2006/439	26 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2006/533	14 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2006/572	25 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 27

International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

Meetings of the Council

5328 (15 December 2005); 5453 (7 June 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 17.A, and part V, chapter 14)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/534	15 August 2005	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2005/532 and Corr.1	17 August 2005	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2005/781	30 November 2005	Letter from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/782	5 December 2005	Letter from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/353	29 May 2006	Letter from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/358	29 May 2006	Letter from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 28
The situation in Africa

Meetings of the Council

5331 (19 December 2005)

(see also part II, chapters 31 and 40)

Consultations of the whole

20 April 2006

Security Council missions and their reports

Mission to the Sudan and Chad, 4 to 10 June 2006

Report: S/2006/433 (22 June 2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/274	18 April 2005	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council[*]
S/2005/567	29 August 2005	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/562	2 September 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/660	20 October 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/808	14 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/809	20 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/814	21 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/828	27 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/833	30 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/341	26 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

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[*] Circulated after the issuance of the previous annual report of the Security Council (1 August 2004-31 July 2005).

Chapter 29

Post-conflict peacebuilding

Meetings of the Council

5335 (20 December 2005)

Consultations of the whole

19 and 20 December 2005; 4 and 13 January; 19 June 2006

Resolutions adopted

1645 (2005); 1646 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/754	2 December 2005	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2005/828	27 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/833	30 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/25	17 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/27	18 January 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania to the Secretary-General

Chapter 30

Briefing by the Chairman-in-Office of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe

Meetings of the Council

5346 (16 January 2006)

Chapter 31

Briefing by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

Meetings of the Council

5353 (24 January 2006)

(see also part II, chapters 1, 28, 33 and 38)

Chapter 32

The situation in Georgia

Meetings of the Council

5358 (26 January 2006); 5363 (31 January 2006); 5405 (31 March 2006); 5483 (11 July 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 12.L and part V, chapter 13)

Consultations of the whole

28 October 2005; 26 and 31 January; 28 March; 11 and 27 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1656 (2006); 1666 (2006)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5358; S/PV.5483

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia

Resolution 858 (1993)	Established
Resolution 1656 (2006)	Mandate extended until 31 March 2006
Resolution 1666 (2006)	Mandate extended until 15 October 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2005/657	19 October 2005	Resolution 1615 (2005)
S/2006/19	13 January 2006	Resolution 1615 (2005)
S/2006/173	17 March 2006	Resolution 1656 (2006)
S/2006/435	26 June 2006	Resolution 1666 (2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/678	27 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Georgia to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/718	9 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Georgia to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/735	18 November 2005	Letter from the representative of Georgia to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/188	28 March 2006	Letter from the representative of Georgia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/539	14 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/540	19 July 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/555	19 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2006/576	26 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Georgia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/577	26 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Georgia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/597	26 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Finland to the Secretary-General

Chapter 33

The situation in the Great Lakes region

Meetings of the Council

5359 (27 January 2006)

(see also part II, chapters 1, 8, 11, 24, 29 and 31, and part V, chapter 15)

Consultations of the whole

26 January 2006

Resolutions adopted

1653 (2006)

Security Council missions and their reports

Mission to Central Africa, 4 to 11 November 2005

Report: S/2005/716 (14 November 2005)

Mission to the Sudan and Chad, 4 to 10 June 2006

Report: S/2006/433 (22 June 2006)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2006/46	25 January 2006	Letter dated 15 December 2005 from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General (S/2005/794)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/616	27 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the Secretary-General
S/2005/620	3 October 2005	Letter from the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/633	4 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/645	7 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/667	21 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/682	27 October 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/793	15 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/770	7 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/794	15 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/849	23 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/850	30 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/13	5 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Canada to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/29	16 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/27	18 January 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania to the Secretary-General
S/2006/192	15 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/193	29 March 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/264	10 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/274	1 May 2006	Letter from the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/558	20 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 34

United Nations peacekeeping operations

Meetings of the Council

5376 (22 February 2006); 5379 (23 February 2006)

Consultations of the whole

21 February 2006

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2006/85	3 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/111	15 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/113	17 February 2006	Letter from the representative of South Africa to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/117	20 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Sierra Leone to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 35

Small arms

Meetings of the Council

5390 (20 March 2006)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2006/109	17 February 2006	S/PRST/2005/7

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/616	27 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the Secretary-General
S/2005/833	30 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/444	27 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General

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Chapter 36

Non-proliferation

Meetings of the Council

5403 (29 March 2006); 5500 (31 July 2006)

Consultations of the whole

17 and 29 March; 3 and 5 May; 5, 25, 28 and 30 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1696 (2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2006/15

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/549	18 August 2005	Letter from the representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the Secretary-General
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2006/80	6 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/150	8 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/178	17 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2006/273	27 April 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2006/270	28 April 2006	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/448	3 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Honduras to the Secretary-General

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S/2006/521	13 July 2006	Letter from the representative of France to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/573	25 July 2006	Letter from the representative of France to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/603	31 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 37

Briefings by the Minister for Foreign Affairs and the Minister of Defence of Uganda

Meetings of the Council

5415 (19 April 2006); 5416 (19 April 2006)

(see also part II, chapters 1, 31 and 33)

Consultations of the whole

20 and 26 April 2006; 28 July 2006

Official communiqués

S/PV.5416

Security Council missions and their reports

Mission to Central Africa, 4 to 11 November 2005

Report: S/2005/716 (14 November 2005)

Mission to the Sudan and Chad, 4 to 10 June 2006

Report: S/2006/433 (22 June 2006)

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2006/478	29 June 2006	Resolutions 1653 (2006) and 1663 (2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/620	3 October 2005	Letter from the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/633	4 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/645	7 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/667	21 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council

S/2005/682	27 October 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/770	7 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/785	13 December 2005	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/13	5 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Canada to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/29	16 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/271	24 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/274	1 May 2006	Letter from the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/341	26 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/558	20 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 38

The situation in Chad and the Sudan

Meetings of the Council

5425 (25 April 2006); 5441 (19 May 2006)

(see also part II, chapters 1 and 31)

Consultations of the whole

18, 20, 24 and 25 April; 16 and 19 May; 7 July 2006

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2006/19

Security Council missions and their reports

Mission to the Sudan and Chad, 4 to 10 June 2006

Report: S/2006/433 (22 June 2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/616	27 September 2005	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the Secretary-General
S/2006/103	14 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/187	24 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/256	13 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/307	17 May 2006	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/341	26 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/359	31 May 2006	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/408	14 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Chad to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/461	28 June 2006	Letter from the representative of the Congo to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 39

Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction: resolution 1540 (2004)

Meetings of the Council

5429 (27 April 2006)

(see also part II, chapters 2 and 21)

Consultations of the whole

21 December 2005; 27 April 2006

Resolutions adopted

1673 (2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/521	8 August 2005	Letter from the representative of India to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/527	12 August 2005	Note verbale from the Permanent Mission of Egypt to the Secretary-General
S/2005/548	15 August 2005	Letter from the representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the Secretary-General
S/2005/621	28 September 2005	Note verbale from the Permanent Mission of Madagascar to the Secretary-General
S/2005/647	7 October 2005	Letter from the representatives of Argentina and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/658 and Corr.2	17 October 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2005/663	21 October 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/799	16 December 2005	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/107	15 February 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/265	24 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Panama to the Secretary-General
S/2006/257 and Corr.1	25 April 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/285	27 April 2006	Letter from the observer of the League of Arab States to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/276	4 May 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/444	27 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General

Chapter 40

Briefing by the Chairman of the African Union

Meetings of the Council

5448 (31 May 2006); 5449 (31 May 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 28)

Official communiqués

S/PV.5449

Chapter 41

International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

Meetings of the Council

5455 (13 June 2006)

(see also part II, chapter 27, and part V, chapter 14)

Consultations of the whole

8 June 2006

Resolutions adopted

1684 (2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/534	15 August 2005	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2005/782	5 December 2005	Letter from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 addressed to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/349	3 May 2006	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/358	29 May 2006	Letter from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and

		Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994 to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/437	13 June 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the President of the General Assembly

Chapter 42

Strengthening international law: rule of law and the maintenance of international peace and security

Meetings of the Council

5474 (22 June 2006)

Consultations of the whole

21 June 2006

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2006/28

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2006/367	7 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Denmark to the Secretary-General

Chapter 43

Letter dated 4 July 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Japan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

Meetings of the Council

5490 (15 July 2006)

Consultations of the whole

7, 10, 12, 14 and 15 July 2006

Resolutions adopted

1695 (2006)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2006/481	4 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Japan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/482	4 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the United States of America to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/493	6 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/514	6 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Finland to the Secretary-General
S/2006/498	7 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Honduras to the Secretary-General
S/2006/535	17 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 44

Children and armed conflict

Meetings of the Council

5494 (24 July 2006)

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2006/33

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol	*Date submitted*	*In response to*
S/2006/389	13 June 2006	Resolution 1612 (2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/522	25 July 2005	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General*
S/2005/659	20 October 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/682	27 October 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/13	5 January 2006	Letter from the representative of Canada to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/275	2 May 2006	Letter from the representative of France to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/494	6 July 2006	Letter from the representative of France to the Secretary-General
S/2006/497	10 July 2006	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/562	19 July 2006	Letter from the observer of Palestine to the President of the Security Council

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Part III
Other matters considered by the Security Council

Chapter 1

Annual report of the Security Council to the General Assembly

Meetings of the Council

5262 (19 September 2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/582	19 September 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council

Chapter 2

Items relating to the International Court of Justice

Election of five members of the International Court of Justice

Meetings of the Council

5299 (7 November 2005)

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/446	26 July 2005	Memorandum by the Secretary-General*
S/2005/447 and Corr.1 and Add.1	26 July and 3 November 2005	Note by the Secretary-General* and addendum thereto
S/2005/448 and Corr.1	27 July 2005	Note by the Secretary-General*

Chapter 3

Admission of new Members

Meetings of the Council

5471 (21 June 2006); 5473 (22 June 2006)

Resolutions adopted

1691 (2006)

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[*] Documents circulated during the previous reporting period and also before the Council at its 5299th meeting.

Presidential statements

S/PRST/2006/27

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2006/409	16 June 2006	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2006/425	21 June 2006	Report of the Committee on the Admission of New Members

Chapter 4

Security Council documentation and working methods and procedure

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2005/562	2 September 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/659	20 October 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/660	20 October 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/734	28 November 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/844	5 December 2005	Letter from the representative of the United States of America to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/845	20 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the representative of the United States of America
S/2005/81	21 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2005/841	29 December 2005	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/7	5 January 2006	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/25	17 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/66	31 January 2006	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/85	3 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/78	7 February 2006	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2006/112	10 February 2006	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the Secretary-General
S/2006/111	15 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/113	17 February 2006	Letter from the representative of South Africa to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/117	20 February 2006	Letter from the representative of Sierra Leone to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/151	8 March 2006	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General
S/2006/158	10 March 2006	Letter from the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/180	21 March 2006	Letter from the representative of Cuba to the Secretary-General
S/2006/208	30 March 2006	Letter from the Chairman of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/354	16 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/483	26 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Finland to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/526	14 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/534	14 July 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic
S/2006/507	19 July 2006	Note by the President of the Security Council

Chapter 5

Recommendation for the appointment of the Secretary-General of the United Nations

Communications received from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

S/2006/252	20 April 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/369	6 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Sri Lanka to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/444	27 June 2006	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General

S/2006/480	3 July 2006	Letter from the representative of India to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/492	5 July 2006	Letter from the representative of Malaysia to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/524 and Corr.1	13 July 2006	Letter from the representative of the Republic of Korea to the President of the Security Council

Part IV
Military Staff Committee

Work of the Military Staff Committee

The Military Staff Committee, established pursuant to Article 47 of the Charter of the United Nations, functioned continually under its draft rules of procedure during the period under review. The Committee held a total of 26 meetings and remained prepared to carry out the functions assigned to it under the terms of Article 47 of the Charter.

In accordance with the request to the Security Council made by the General Assembly in paragraph 178 of the 2005 World Summit Outcome (resolution 60/1), the Military Staff Committee has considered the composition, mandate and working methods of the Committee. These discussions are ongoing.

Part V

Matters brought to the attention of the Security Council but not discussed at meetings of the Council during the period covered

Chapter 1

Communications concerning the non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction

Letter dated 18 April 2005[1] (S/2005/274) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 17 April 2005 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing the resolutions, the final communiqué and the Algiers Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its seventeenth session at the summit level, held at Algiers on 22 and 23 March 2005.

Letter dated 25 July[1] (S/2005/522) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group at the United Nations, the final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its thirty-second session, held at Sana'a from 28 to 30 June 2005.

Letter dated 8 August (S/2005/521) from the representative of India addressed to the President of the Security Council, and enclosure.

Letter dated 18 August (S/2005/549) from the representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Letter dated 17 September (S/2005/612) from the representative of Bahrain addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a press statement issued at the ninety-sixth regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held at Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, on 6 and 7 September 2005.

Letter dated 17 October (S/2005/658 and Corr.2) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group, the final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at United Nations Headquarters on 23 September 2005.

Letter dated 2 December (S/2005/754) from the representative of the Russian Federation addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the Declaration on the 2005 World Summit Outcome, adopted at the meeting of the Council of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Collective Security Treaty Organization, held in Moscow on 30 November 2005.

Letter dated 16 December (S/2005/826) from the representative of Saudi Arabia addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, inter alia, the Makkah Al-Mukarramah Declaration and the final communiqué adopted by the Islamic Summit Conference at its third extraordinary session, held at Makkah Al-Mukarramah, Saudi Arabia, on 7 and 8 December 2005.

Letter dated 15 February 2006 (S/2006/108) from the representative of the United Arab Emirates addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the final communiqué and the Abu Dhabi Declaration adopted by the Supreme Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council at its twenty-sixth session, held at Abu Dhabi on 18 and 19 December 2005.

Letter dated 15 March (S/2006/169) from the representative of the United Arab Emirates addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a press release issued at the ninety-eighth session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held at Riyadh on 1 March 2006.

Letter dated 27 April (S/2006/285) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 23 April 2006 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing, inter alia, the decisions and the Khartoum Summit Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its eighteenth session at the summit level, held at Khartoum on 28 and 29 March 2006.

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[1] Circulated after the issuance of the previous annual report of the Security Council (1 August 2004-31 July 2005).

Letter dated 18 May (S/2006/305) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a letter of the same date from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing a statement on making the Middle East a zone free of weapons of mass destruction issued by the Council of the League of Arab States at its summit meeting held at Khartoum on 28 and 29 March 2006.

Letter dated 27 June (S/2006/444) from the representative of Kazakhstan addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the Declaration of the Second Summit of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-Building Measures in Asia, adopted at Almaty, Kazakhstan, on 17 June 2006.

Letter dated 28 June (S/2006/484) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter signed on 26 June 2006 by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya.

Chapter 2

Communications concerning the situation between Iraq and Kuwait

Letter dated 18 April 2005[1] (S/2005/274) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 17 April 2005 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing the resolutions, the final communiqué and the Algiers Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its seventeenth session at the summit level, held at Algiers on 22 and 23 March 2005.

Letter dated 25 July[1] (S/2005/522) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group at the United Nations, the final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its thirty-second session, held at Sana'a from 28 to 30 June 2005.

Twentieth report of the Secretary-General, dated 8 August (S/2005/513), pursuant to paragraph 14 of resolution 1284 (1999), on compliance by Iraq with its obligations regarding the repatriation or return of all Kuwaiti and third-country nationals or their remains.

Letter dated 17 September (S/2005/612) from the representative of Bahrain addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a press statement issued at the ninety-sixth regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held at Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, on 6 and 7 September 2005.

Letter dated 4 October (S/2005/686) from the President of the Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Letter dated 17 October (S/2005/658 and Corr.2) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group, the final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at United Nations Headquarters on 23 September 2005.

Twenty-first report of the Secretary-General, dated 8 December (S/2005/769), pursuant to paragraph 14 of resolution 1284 (1999), on compliance by Iraq with its obligations regarding the repatriation or return of all Kuwaiti and third-country nationals or their remains and on the return of all Kuwaiti property, including archives, seized by Iraq.

Letter dated 9 December (S/2005/815) from the President of the Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Note by the Secretary-General dated 29 December (S/2005/840), transmitting the report of the Board of Auditors on the implementation of its recommendations relating to the United Nations Compensation Commission for the biennium 2002-2003.

Letter dated 15 February 2006 (S/2006/108) from the representative of the United Arab Emirates addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the final communiqué and the Abu Dhabi Declaration adopted by the Supreme Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council at its twenty-sixth session, held at Abu Dhabi on 18 and 19 December 2005.

Letter dated 10 March (S/2006/238) from the President of the Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Letter dated 15 March (S/2006/169) from the representative of the United Arab Emirates addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a press release issued at the ninety-eighth session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held at Riyadh on 1 March 2006.

Letter dated 5 April (S/2006/221) from the representative of Tunisia addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Letter dated 27 April (S/2006/285) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 23 April 2006 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing, inter alia, the decisions and the Khartoum Summit Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its eighteenth session at the summit level, held at Khartoum on 28 and 29 March 2006.

Twenty-second report of the Secretary-General, dated 21 June (S/2006/428), pursuant to paragraph 14 of resolution 1284 (1999), on the return of all Kuwaiti property, including archives, seized by Iraq.

Letter dated 28 June (S/2006/468) from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council, on reducing the frequency of reports on the compliance by Iraq with its obligations regarding the repatriation or return of all Kuwaiti and third-country nationals or their remains from every four months to every six months.

Letter dated 30 June (S/2006/469) from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General, informing him that his letter dated 28 June 2006 (S/2006/468) had been brought to the attention of the members of the Council and that they took note of the intention expressed therein.

Letter dated 30 June (S/2006/530) from the President of the Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Chapter 3

Communications concerning the reform of the United Nations, including the Security Council

Letter dated 18 April 2005[1] (S/2005/274) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 17 April 2005 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing the resolutions, the final communiqué and the Algiers Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its seventeenth session at the summit level, held at Algiers on 22 and 23 March 2005.

Letter dated 25 July[1] (S/2005/522) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group at the United Nations, the final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its thirty-second session, held at Sana'a from 28 to 30 June 2005.

Letter dated 17 October (S/2005/658 and Corr.2) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group, the final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at United Nations Headquarters on 23 September 2005.

Letter dated 2 December (S/2005/754) from the representative of the Russian Federation addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the Declaration on the 2005 World Summit Outcome, adopted at the meeting of the Council of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Collective Security Treaty Organization, held in Moscow on 30 November 2005.

Letter dated 16 December (S/2005/826) from the representative of Saudi Arabia addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, inter alia, the Makkah Al-Mukarramah Declaration and the final communiqué adopted by the Islamic Summit Conference at its third extraordinary session, held at Makkah Al-Mukarramah, Saudi Arabia, on 7 and 8 December 2005.

Note by the President of the Security Council dated 30 December (S/2005/833), transmitting the annual report for 2005 of the Security Council Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa.

Letter dated 3 February 2006 (S/2006/85) from the representative of Malaysia, in his capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Letter dated 15 February (S/2006/111) from the representative of Malaysia addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement, his letter dated 14 February 2006 addressed to the President of the General Assembly.

Letter dated 17 February (S/2006/113) from the representative of South Africa addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Letter dated 20 February (S/2006/117) from the representative of Sierra Leone addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Letter dated 27 April (S/2006/285) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 23 April 2006 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing, inter alia, the decisions and the Khartoum Summit Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its eighteenth session at the summit level, held at Khartoum on 28 and 29 March 2006.

Chapter 4

Communications concerning the question of the Greater Tunb, Lesser Tunb and Abu Musa islands

Letter dated 18 April 2005[1] (S/2005/274) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 17 April 2005 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing the resolutions, the final communiqué and the Algiers Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its seventeenth session at the summit level, held at Algiers on 22 and 23 March 2005.

Letter dated 12 September (S/2005/597) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a decision adopted on 8 September 2005 by the Council of the League of Arab States at the meeting held at the level of Ministers for Foreign Affairs during its 124th regular session.

Letter dated 17 September (S/2005/612) from the representative of Bahrain addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a press statement issued at the ninety-sixth regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held at Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, on 6 and 7 September 2005.

Letter dated 1 November (S/2005/697) from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Letter dated 30 December (S/2005/851) from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran addressed to the Secretary-General.

Letter dated 15 February 2006 (S/2006/108) from the representative of the United Arab Emirates addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the final communiqué and the Abu Dhabi Declaration adopted by the Supreme Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council at its twenty-sixth session, held at Abu Dhabi on 18 and 19 December 2005.

Letter dated 13 March (S/2006/168) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a decision adopted on 4 March 2006 by the Council of the League of Arab States at the meeting held at the level of Ministers for Foreign Affairs during its 125th regular session.

Letter dated 15 March (S/2006/169) from the representative of the United Arab Emirates addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a press release issued at the ninety-eighth session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held at Riyadh on 1 March 2006.

Letter dated 24 March (S/2006/191) from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran addressed to the Secretary-General.

Letter dated 27 March (S/2006/200) from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran addressed to the Secretary-General.

Letter dated 27 April (S/2006/285) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 23 April 2006 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing, inter alia, the decisions and the Khartoum Summit Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its eighteenth session at the summit level, held at Khartoum on 28 and 29 March 2006.

Letter dated 8 June (S/2006/381) from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran addressed to the Secretary-General.

Chapter 5
Communications concerning the League of Arab States

Letter dated 18 April 2005[1] (S/2005/274) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 17 April 2005 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing the resolutions, the final communiqué and the Algiers Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its seventeenth session at the summit level, held at Algiers on 22 and 23 March 2005.

Letter dated 27 April 2006 (S/2006/285) from the observer of the League of Arab States addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 23 April 2006 from the Secretary-General of the League of Arab States, enclosing, inter alia, the decisions and the Khartoum Summit Declaration adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at its eighteenth session at the summit level, held at Khartoum on 28 and 29 March 2006.

Chapter 6
Communications concerning the situation relating to Nagorny Karabakh and relations between Armenia and Azerbaijan

Letter dated 25 July 2005[1] (S/2005/522) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group at the United Nations, the final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its thirty-second session, held at Sana'a from 28 to 30 June 2005.

Letter dated 24 August (S/2005/542) from the representative of Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Letter dated 17 October (S/2005/658 and Corr.2) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group, the final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at United Nations Headquarters on 23 September 2005.

Letter dated 16 December (S/2005/826) from the representative of Saudi Arabia addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, inter alia, the Makkah Al-Mukarramah Declaration and the final communiqué adopted by the Islamic Summit Conference at its third extraordinary session, held at Makkah Al-Mukarramah, Saudi Arabia, on 7 and 8 December 2005.

Letter dated 21 February 2006 (S/2006/118) from the representative of Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General.

Letter dated 24 February (S/2006/128) from the representative of Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Letter dated 24 February (S/2006/132) from the representative of Armenia addressed to the Secretary-General.

Letter dated 6 March (S/2006/141) from the representative of Armenia addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Letter dated 24 May (S/2006/364) from the representatives of Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the Kyiv Declaration on the establishment of the Organization for Democracy and Economic Development — GUAM, the communiqué and the joint declaration on the issue of conflict settlement adopted by the Presidents of Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine at the GUAM summit held at Kyiv on 23 May 2006.

Letter dated 28 June (S/2006/450) from the representative of Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Letter dated 7 July (S/2006/500) from the representative of Armenia addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosures.

Letter dated 21 July (S/2006/564 and Corr.1) from the representative of Azerbaijan addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosures.

Letter dated 27 July (S/2006/588) from the representative of Armenia addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Chapter 7
Communications concerning the Organization of the Islamic Conference

Letter dated 25 July 2005[1] (S/2005/522) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group at the United Nations, the final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its thirty-second session, held at Sana'a from 28 to 30 June 2005.

Letter dated 17 October (S/2005/658 and Corr.2) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group, the final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at United Nations Headquarters on 23 September 2005.

Letter dated 16 December (S/2005/826) from the representative of Saudi Arabia addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, inter alia, the Makkah Al-Mukarramah Declaration and the final communiqué adopted by the Islamic Summit Conference at its third extraordinary session, held at Makkah Al-Mukarramah, Saudi Arabia, on 7 and 8 December 2005.

Chapter 8
Communications concerning the India-Pakistan question

Letter dated 25 July 2005[1] (S/2005/522) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group at the United Nations, the final communiqué, the Sana'a Declaration and the resolutions adopted by the Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers at its thirty-second session, held at Sana'a from 28 to 30 June 2005.

Letter dated 17 October (S/2005/658 and Corr.2) from the representative of Yemen addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, in his capacity as Chairman of the Organization of the Islamic Conference Group, the final communiqué of the annual coordination meeting of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, held at United Nations Headquarters on 23 September 2005.

Letter dated 2 December (S/2005/772) from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council, informing the Council of his intention to appoint Major General Dragutin Repinc (Croatia) as the Chief Military Observer of the United Nations Military Observer Group in India and Pakistan.

Letter dated 8 December (S/2005/773) from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General, informing him that his letter dated 2 December 2005 (S/2005/772) had been brought to the attention of the members of the Council and that they took note of the intention expressed therein.

Letter dated 16 December (S/2005/826) from the representative of Saudi Arabia addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, inter alia, the Makkah Al-Mukarramah Declaration and the final communiqué adopted by the Islamic Summit Conference at its third extraordinary session, held at Makkah Al-Mukarramah, Saudi Arabia, on 7 and 8 December 2005.

Letter dated 13 February 2006 (S/2006/104) from the representative of Pakistan addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a joint statement issued at the end of the meeting of the Foreign Secretaries of India and Pakistan, held at New Delhi on 17 and 18 January 2006.

Chapter 9
Communications concerning relations between Cameroon and Nigeria

Letter dated 1 August 2005 (S/2005/528) from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council, informing the Council of the latest achievements and activities of the Cameroon-Nigeria

Mixed Commission and of his intention to ask for additional resources from the regular budget for the Commission for 2006.

Letter dated 12 August (S/2005/529) from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General, informing him that his letter dated 1 August 2005 (S/2005/528) had been brought to the attention of the members of the Council and that they took note of the information and the intention expressed therein, and that the Council members urged the parties to the Cameroon-Nigeria Mixed Commission to work with international donors to seek further voluntary contributions.

Letter dated 20 June 2006 (S/2006/419) from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council, informing the Security Council of the Greentree Agreement concerning the modalities of withdrawal and transfer of authority in the Bakassi peninsula, signed on 12 June 2006 by Cameroon and Nigeria.

Letter dated 21 June (S/2006/453) from the representative of Austria addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on the agreement on the Bakassi peninsula, issued on 20 June 2006 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 28 June (S/2006/454) from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council, informing the Security Council of the composition of the follow-up committee to be established pursuant to the Greentree Agreement.

Chapter 10

Communication concerning Mauritania

Letter dated 9 September 2005 (S/2005/581) from the representative of Nigeria addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting, in his capacity as the representative of the Chairman of the African Union (AU), a communiqué adopted by the AU Peace and Security Council at its 37th meeting, held at Addis Ababa on 8 September 2005.

Chapter 11

Communications concerning the Gulf Cooperation Council

Letter dated 17 September 2005 (S/2005/612) from the representative of Bahrain addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a press statement issued at the ninety-sixth regular session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held at Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, on 6 and 7 September 2005.

Letter dated 15 February 2006 (S/2006/108) from the representative of the United Arab Emirates addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the final communiqué and the Abu Dhabi Declaration adopted by the Supreme Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council at its twenty-sixth session, held at Abu Dhabi on 18 and 19 December 2005.

Letter dated 15 March (S/2006/169) from the representative of the United Arab Emirates addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a press release issued at the ninety-eighth session of the Ministerial Council of the Gulf Cooperation Council, held at Riyadh on 1 March 2006.

Chapter 12

Communications concerning the European Union

Letter dated 22 September 2005 (S/2005/629) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement in response to the statement of ceasefire by the Communist Party of Nepal (Maoist), issued on 8 September 2005 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 25 October (S/2005/711) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement concerning the situation in Togo, issued on the same date by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 7 November (S/2005/712) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on the Government of Zimbabwe's rejection of humanitarian assistance, issued on the same date by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 21 November (S/2005/751) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on Nepal's media ordinance, issued on 28 October 2005 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 23 November (S/2005/749) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on the Andijan trial, issued on 18 November 2005 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 23 November (S/2005/750) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on the human rights situation in Uzbekistan, issued on 8 November 2005 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 6 December (S/2005/804) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a statement on the agreement between the political parties and the Maoists in Nepal, issued on 5 December 2005 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 6 December (S/2005/805) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a statement in response to the closure of Radio Sagamartha FM in Nepal, issued on 5 December 2005 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 20 December (S/2005/830) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on the humanitarian situation in Zimbabwe, issued on 19 December 2005 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 16 January 2006 (S/2006/38) from the representative of Austria addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement in response to the announcement by the Maoists in Nepal of the end of the unilateral ceasefire, issued on 9 January 2006 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 30 January (S/2006/77) from the representative of Austria addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on the political situation in Nepal, issued on the same date by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 24 May (S/2006/335) from the representative of Austria addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement regarding the referendum in Montenegro, issued on 23 May 2006 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 1 June (S/2006/371) from the representative of Austria addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement regarding the listing of the Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam as a terrorist organization, issued on 31 May 2006 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 7 June (S/2006/412) from the representative of Austria addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on the declaration of independence by the Montenegrin Parliament, issued on 3 June 2006 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Letter dated 21 June (S/2006/451) from the representative of Austria addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on Guinea Conakry, issued on 16 June 2006 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Chapter 13

Communications concerning Georgia[2]

Identical letters dated 23 September 2005 (S/2005/606) from the representative of Georgia addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council, and enclosure.

Letter dated 27 October (S/2005/678) from the representative of Georgia addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Letter dated 9 November (S/2005/718) from the representative of Georgia addressed to the President of the Security Council, and enclosure.

Letter dated 24 May 2006 (S/2006/364) from the representatives of Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine addressed to the Secretary-

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[2] See also part II, chapters 12.L and 32.

General, transmitting the Kyiv Declaration on the establishment of the Organization for Democracy and Economic Development — GUAM, the communiqué and the joint declaration on the issue of conflict settlement adopted by the Presidents of Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine at the GUAM summit held at Kyiv on 23 May 2006.

Letter dated 19 July (S/2006/555) from the representative of the Russian Federation addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Letter dated 26 July (S/2006/597) from the representative of Finland addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a statement on recent developments in Georgia — Abkhazia and South Ossetia — issued on 24 July 2006 by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union.

Chapter 14

Communications concerning the situation concerning Rwanda

Letter dated 27 September 2005 (S/2005/616) from the representative of the Congo addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the report of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa on its 23rd ministerial meeting, held at Brazzaville from 29 August to 2 September 2005.

Letter dated 4 October (S/2005/633) from the representative of Uganda addressed to the President of the Security Council, and enclosure.

Letter dated 21 October (S/2005/667) from the representative of Uganda addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting, in the capacity of Uganda as host to the Tripartite Plus Joint Commission meeting held at Kampala on 20 and 21 October 2005, a letter of the same date from the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of Burundi, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Rwanda and Uganda.

Letter dated 27 October (S/2005/682) from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General, informing him that the members of the Council had decided to send a mission to Central Africa from 4 to 10 November 2005, and enclosing the terms of reference of the mission.

Report of the Security Council mission to Central Africa (4-11 November 2005) dated 14 November 2005 (S/2005/716).

Letter dated 7 December (S/2005/770) from the representative of Uganda addressed to the President of the Security Council, and enclosure.

Letter dated 17 January 2006 (S/2006/28) from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting the final investigation report of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo on the attack on Kabingu village in South Kivu on 9 July 2005.

Letter dated 18 January (S/2006/27) from the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting a concept paper for the open debate on peace, security and development in the Great Lakes region to be held on 27 January 2006.

Report of the Secretary-General dated 25 January (S/2006/46) on the preparations for the International Conference on the Great Lakes Region, submitted pursuant to the letter dated 15 December 2005 (S/2005/794) from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General.

Letter dated 9 March (S/2006/164) from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 918 (1994) concerning Rwanda addressed to the President of the Security Council, concerning the implementation of the relevant Security Council resolutions during the period from 1 January to 31 December 2005.

Chapter 15

Communications concerning the situation in the Central African Republic

Letter dated 27 September 2005 (S/2005/616) from the representative of the Congo addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the report of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa on its 23rd ministerial meeting, held at Brazzaville from 29 August to 2 September 2005.

Report of the Secretary-General dated 27 October (S/2005/679) in follow-up to the statement by the President of the Security Council of 22 July 2005 on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/PRST/2005/35).

Letter dated 30 November (S/2005/758) from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council, conveying his recommendation that the mandate of the United Nations Peacebuilding Support Office in the Central African Republic (BONUCA) be extended until 31 December 2006, and his intention to raise the rank of his Representative in the Central African Republic to that of Special Representative.

Letter dated 2 December (S/2005/759) from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General, informing him that his letter dated 30 November 2005 (S/2005/758) had been brought to the attention of the members of the Council and that they took note of the recommendation and intention expressed therein.

Report of the Secretary-General dated 29 December (S/2005/831) on the situation in the Central African Republic and the activities of BONUCA from 1 July to 31 December 2005, submitted in compliance with the statement by the President of the Security Council of 26 September 2001 (S/PRST/2001/25).

Letter dated 3 January 2006 (S/2006/4) from the representative of Nigeria addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting, in his capacity as the representative of the Chairman of the African Union, a communiqué issued by the AU Peace and Security Council at its 44th meeting, held at Addis Ababa on 29 December 2005, and a brief on the security situation in the Central African Republic and the visit of an AU mission to the region.

Letter dated 3 April (S/2006/216) from the representative of the Congo addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting, in his capacity as the representative of the Chairman of the African Union, a communiqué containing a declaration on the situation in the Central African Republic adopted by the AU Peace and Security Council at an open briefing, held at Addis Ababa on 30 March 2006.

Letter dated 26 May (S/2006/341) from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General, informing him that the members of the Council had decided to send a mission to the Sudan, Chad and the African Union headquarters at Addis Ababa from 4 to 10 June 2006, and enclosing the terms of reference of the mission.

Report of the Secretary-General dated 27 June (S/2006/441) on the situation in the Central African Republic and the activities of BONUCA from January to June 2006, submitted in response to the statement by the President of the Security Council dated 26 September 2001 (S/PRST/2001/25).

Chapter 16

Communication concerning Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova, Ukraine and Uzbekistan

Letter dated 29 September 2005 (S/2005/623) from the representative of the Republic of Moldova addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting, as representative of the country presiding over the GUUAM group of States (Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova, Ukraine and Uzbekistan), a communiqué of the tenth meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers of those States and a joint statement of the sixth GUUAM-United States of America ministerial meeting, both of which were held in New York on 16 September 2005.

Chapter 17

Communication concerning relations between Costa Rica and Nicaragua

Note verbale dated 29 September 2005 (S/2005/632) from the Permanent Mission of Costa Rica addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Chapter 18

Communications concerning relations between the Islamic Republic of Iran and the United States of America

Letter dated 26 October 2005 (S/2005/692) from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosures.

Letter dated 17 March 2006 (S/2006/178) from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran addressed to the Secretary-General, and enclosure.

Letter dated 27 April (S/2006/273) from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran addressed to the Secretary-General.

Chapter 19

Communications concerning relations between the Islamic Republic of Iran and Israel

Identical letters dated 27 October 2005 (S/2005/681) from the representative of Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council.

Letter dated 27 October (S/2005/683) from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a statement on the Islamic Republic of Iran issued on the same date by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union leaders meeting at Hampton Court, United Kingdom.

Identical letters dated 9 December (S/2005/776) from the representative of Israel addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council.

Letter dated 9 June 2006 (S/2006/380) from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran addressed to the Secretary-General.

Chapter 20

Communications concerning the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations

Letter dated 2 November 2005 (S/2005/694) from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General, informing him that the members of the Council had authorized Ambassador Kenzo Oshima (Japan), in his capacity as Chairman of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations, to visit the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea from 6 to 9 November 2005, and transmitting the terms of reference of the mission.

Letter dated 16 November (S/2005/723) from the representative of Japan addressed to the President of the Security Council, transmitting a report on his visit, in his capacity as Chairman of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations, to Ethiopia and Eritrea from 6 to 9 November 2005.

Chapter 21

Communication concerning the Collective Security Treaty Organization

Letter dated 2 December 2005 (S/2005/754) from the representative of the Russian Federation addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the Declaration on the 2005 World Summit Outcome, adopted at the meeting of the Council of Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the States members of the Collective Security Treaty Organization, held in Moscow on 30 November 2005.

Chapter 22

Communications concerning general issues relating to sanctions

Note by the President of the Security Council dated 29 December 2005 (S/2005/841), stating that the members of the Council had agreed that the mandate of the Security Council Informal Working Group on General Issues of Sanctions would be extended until 31 December 2006, and setting out issues to be addressed by the Working Group.

Note by the President of the Security Council dated 29 December (S/2005/842), transmitting the annual report for 2005 of the Security Council Informal Working Group on General Issues of Sanctions.

Note by the President of the Security Council dated 30 December (S/2005/833), transmitting the annual report for 2005 of the Security Council Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa.

Identical letters dated 19 May 2006 (S/2006/331) from the representatives of Germany, Sweden and Switzerland addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council, transmitting a white paper dated 30 March 2006, prepared by the Watson Institute Targeted Sanctions Project of Brown University.

Chapter 23

Communication concerning Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine

Letter dated 24 May 2006 (S/2006/364) from the representatives of Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the Kyiv Declaration on the establishment of the Organization for Democracy and Economic Development — GUAM, the communiqué and the joint declaration on the issue of conflict settlement adopted by the Presidents of Azerbaijan, Georgia, the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine at the GUAM summit held at Kyiv on 23 May 2006.

Chapter 24

Communications concerning the situation in Tajikistan and along the Tajik-Afghan border

Letter dated 26 May 2006 (S/2006/355) from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council, informing the Council of his intention to continue the activities of the United Nations Tajikistan Office of Peacebuilding for a further period of one year, until 1 June 2007.

Letter dated 31 May (S/2006/356) from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General, informing him that his letter dated 26 May 2006 (S/2006/355) had been brought to the attention of the members of the Council and that they took note of the intention conveyed therein.

Chapter 25

Communication concerning the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-Building Measures in Asia

Letter dated 27 June 2006 (S/2006/444) from the representative of Kazakhstan addressed to the Secretary-General, transmitting the Declaration of the Second Summit of the Conference on Interaction and Confidence-Building Measures in Asia, adopted at Almaty, Kazakhstan, on 17 June 2006.

Part VI
Work of the subsidiary bodies of the Security Council

Chapter I
Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission

The mandate of the United Nations Compensation Commission is to process claims and pay compensation for losses and damages suffered as a direct result of Iraq's unlawful invasion and occupation of Kuwait from 2 August 1990 until 2 March 1991. During the period under review, the Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission held four regular sessions (fifty-seventh to sixtieth) at which it considered various issues relating to the activity of the Commission. Since the conclusion of the claims-processing stage in June 2005, the Commission has focused its work, with a small secretariat, on payments of awards to claimants and a number of residual tasks. In addition, at its fifty-eighth session, the Governing Council adopted guidelines for a follow-up programme to monitor the use of environmental compensation awards. The programme is being funded by claimant Governments through deductions from their awards. Also at that session, as it is anticipated that payments to individual claimants will be completed by mid-2006, leaving only 49 claims in categories E and F that will not have been paid in full, the Governing Council reached a decision on the phasing out of the Compensation Commission. The Governing Council considered various options and, given the nature of the remaining tasks, decided to maintain the Compensation Fund under the continuing oversight of the Governing Council, supported by a small residual secretariat in Geneva that will also assist the Governing Council in the implementation of the newly approved follow-up programme for environmental awards. The Governing Council kept the option of transferring responsibility for continuing payments to the Government of Iraq under the supervision of the Security Council open for consideration in future.

Payment of claims

Funds to pay compensation are drawn from the United Nations Compensation Fund, which receives a percentage of the proceeds generated by the export sales of Iraqi petroleum and petroleum products. That percentage, originally set at 30 per cent by the Security Council under its resolution 705 (1991), was maintained in Council resolution 986 (1995) and subsequent resolutions establishing and extending the oil-for-food mechanism. The level of funding was changed to 25 per cent as from December 2000 under Council resolution 1330 (2000). By paragraph 21 of resolution 1483 (2003), the level of the proceeds of all export sales of Iraqi petroleum, petroleum products and natural gas to be deposited into the Compensation Fund was changed to 5 per cent. By resolution 1546 (2004), the Security Council provided for the continuation of the deposits of the proceeds referred to in paragraph 21 of resolution 1483 (2003).

The first phase of payment involved an initial payment of US$ 2,500 to each successful individual claimant in categories A (claims of individuals for departures from Kuwait or Iraq) and C (claims of individuals for damages up to $100,000) as well as payment of the full amounts of approved compensation to all successful claimants in category B (claims for death or serious personal injury). In the second phase, amounts of up to $100,000 were made available for approved claims in all categories. Upon the completion of the first and second phases of payment in July 1999 and September 2000, respectively, the Commission made available to Governments and international organizations full payment of approved compensation in categories A, B and C for disbursement to individual claimants.

Under the third phase of payment, which commenced in October 2000, successful claimants in categories D, E and F received an initial amount of $5 million (or the unpaid balance) and subsequent payments of $10 million (or the unpaid balance), in the order in which the claims were approved. In June 2003, the Governing Council adopted decision 197, establishing a temporary payment mechanism in the light of the reduction in the Compensation Fund's income. Under the temporary payment mechanism, up to $200 million from the Fund was made available for the payment of claims every quarter. Successful claimants in all categories received an initial amount of $100,000 or the unpaid amount of the award, if less; subsequent rounds of payments of $100,000 to successful claimants in all categories, in the order in which they have been approved, were disbursed until the available funds for distribution were exhausted. The temporary payment mechanism was extended by the Governing Council in decision 227 at its fifty-second session (June-July 2004).

At the fifty-seventh session (September 2005), as a result of the completion of the review of all claims and of the higher than anticipated income into the Compensation Fund, the Governing Council, by decision 253, lifted the ceiling of $200 million established under decisions 197 and 227, and made available for payment the entire balance in the Compensation Fund for each quarterly payment.

At the fifty-eighth session (December 2005), the Governing Council adopted decision 256 concerning the payment mechanism and the priority of payment of the outstanding claims. Under the first phase of that decision, quarterly payments are being made in rounds of $2 million until completion of payments to individual claimants and payment in respect of all claims up to the level of $65 million. Under the second phase, claimants with outstanding amounts greater than $500 million will receive a maximum amount of $2 million per quarter, whereas claimants with outstanding amounts smaller than $500 million and environmental awards approved for the third, fourth and fifth instalments of category F4 (environmental remediation) claims will receive rounds of payments of $2 million, or the unpaid balance of the award, if less, until all available amounts in the Compensation Fund have been exhausted.

During the period under review, the Commission made available a total amount of $1,601,477,910 to Governments and international organizations for distribution to 759 successful claimants in categories A, C, D, E and F.

As at 31 July 2006, the Commission has awarded total compensation in the amount of $52,458,113,665 in respect of 1,549,057 claims of individuals, corporations and Governments, of which $20,997,611,930 has been made available for payment to successful claimants.

Chapter 2

United Nations Monitoring, Verification and Inspection Commission established pursuant to paragraph 1 of resolution 1284 (1999)

The United Nations Monitoring, Verification and Inspection Commission (UNMOVIC) continued to operate with respect to those parts of its mandate it could implement outside of Iraq and maintained a degree of preparedness to resume work in Iraq. The Acting Executive Chairman gave oral briefings to the Security Council on the Commission's quarterly reports during informal consultations of the members of the Security Council (6 September and 7 December 2005 and 6 March and 8 June 2006). He also provided monthly briefings to successive Presidents of the Council and kept the Secretary-General and his senior staff informed of the work of UNMOVIC.

Reports

Four reports were submitted to the Council (S/2005/545, S/2005/742, S/2006/133 and S/2006/342). They included appendices on issues such as Iraq's biological weapons programme, procurement for its weapons of mass destruction programmes and an overview of its chemical weapons programme.

Developments

In January 2006, the Acting Executive Chairman visited Vienna and held discussions with Dorothea Auer, Head of the Department for Disarmament of the Austrian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In February, he travelled to Moscow for discussions with the Foreign Minister, Sergey Lavrov, and officials of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation. In New York, he held discussions with the Chairman of the Panel of Government Experts on Verification in All Its Aspects. In March 2006, he visited Brussels to meet Annalisa Giannella, the Personal Representative of the High Representative on Non-Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction of the European Union.

Compendium

Work continued on the compendium of Iraq's proscribed weapons. It provides a detailed technical description of Iraqi weapons and programmes and the experience gained in the process of their verification by United Nations inspectors. A summary of the compendium was also prepared. It provides a more general description of proscribed programmes, with an emphasis on lessons learned. After additional comments were received from the Commissioners and taken into account, the Security Council members agreed to have the summary made available as a report to the Council (S/2006/420).

Monitoring

In connection with its report to the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004), the Acting Executive Chairman wrote to the Permanent Representative of Iraq on 9 September 2005 requesting clarification on the functions and competencies of the National Monitoring Directorate and the relevant point of contact for UNMOVIC so as to address the issue of the monitoring reports required of Iraq and the status of sites subject to monitoring. He repeated the readiness of UNMOVIC to assist Iraq in fulfilling its existing obligations under the relevant Council resolutions and, in particular, in the development of an appropriate national monitoring system, including a mechanism for the notification of imports to and exports from Iraq of dual-use items and materials. Iraq replied on 25 April, stating that the request was under the consideration of its specialized authorities, bearing in mind that Council resolutions 1546 (2004) and 1483 (2003), which expressed the Council's intention to revisit the UNMOVIC mandate, also brought to a standstill its activities.

Status of sites and dual-use equipment subject to monitoring

UNMOVIC imagery analysts continued to review the status of sites subject to inspection and monitoring in Iraq and noted that the number of sites razed to varying degrees had risen by only two from the previously reported total of 118 in 2005. However, in November 2005, the United Nations Environment Programme, assessing environmental hot spots in Iraq, reported that a scrapyard 15 kilometres south of Baghdad contained complete surface-to-surface missile bodies, as well as unexploded munitions and artillery rounds.

Muthanna chemical weapons facility

The UNMOVIC imagery analysts assessed activities at sites by analysing images of specific locations over successive time frames. The imagery shows that agricultural activity had started inside the perimeter of the Muthanna State Establishment, once the prime chemical weapons production site in Iraq. Under a handover protocol agreed with Iraq in 1994, the Government still had obligations concerning the security and safety of the site. UNMOVIC reported that there might well be health, safety and security hazards associated with the agricultural activities spotted only some 500 metres from the bunkers.

Chemical weapons declaration of Iraq

On 7 April, the Permanent Representative of Iraq wrote to UNMOVIC stating that his Government intended to accede to the Chemical Weapons Convention and requesting UNMOVIC to provide the full, final and complete disclosure relating to chemical weapons that was provided by the National Monitoring Directorate to the United Nations Special Commission in 1996. The Acting Executive Chairman informed the Council of the request and said that he intended to provide the document, duly redacted for proliferation-sensitive content. The President of the Council suggested that UNMOVIC should provide the Government of Iraq with the relevant sections of the currently accurate, full and complete declaration transmitted by the National Monitoring Directorate in December 2002 and circulated to the Council. UNMOVIC transmitted the relevant sections to the Permanent Representative of Iraq on 30 May.

Archives

UNMOVIC initiated an internal review of its substantive records to identify issues that would need to be addressed should those records eventually be transferred to the United Nations archives. A presentation was made to the Commissioners at their session in November 2005. UNMOVIC officials attended briefing sessions with experts from several Member States. Discussions were also held with the Archives and Records Management Section of the Secretariat and with the International Atomic Energy Agency. A working paper on the matter was prepared for consideration by the College of Commissioners.

Training

During the reporting period, UNMOVIC continued its training activities as set out below:

United Kingdom. Advanced biological course to develop practical skills to prepare and carry out on-site inspections at dual-use biological production facilities.

Canada. Multidisciplinary technology course to develop a better understanding of the technologies and equipment involved in the operation of refineries and petrochemical plants and their relevance to the UNMOVIC monitoring mandate.

Argentina. Missile technologies training course, intended (a) to develop a good technical understanding by the trainees of the technologies used in the manufacture of solid propellant missiles; and (b) to improve trainees' skills in the design of monitoring regimes for solid propellant production sites.

Brazil. Biological technology training course, intended (a) to develop a good technical understanding on the part of the trainees of the technologies used in the production of human vaccines; and (b) to improve trainees' skills in designing inspection and monitoring regimes for biological production facilities.

France. Missile technologies course covering missile guidance and control systems and unmanned aerial vehicles/cruise missiles.

Technical visits, meetings and workshops

UNMOVIC continued to follow dual-use technology and related developments and to assess the implications for its mandate and the potential application of new technologies in detection, monitoring and verification. The Commission also hosted a number of no-cost seminars with outside experts at Headquarters on issues such as sampling, analysis and detection technology.

At the request of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations, UNMOVIC made available a satellite imagery expert to conduct a training programme for six peacekeeping missions on advanced geographic information system software. The course was conducted in Burundi in November 2005.

In February 2006, UNMOVIC provided a briefing on its experience, expertise and lessons learned to the Panel of Government Experts on Verification in All Its Aspects, which met in New York to prepare a report pursuant to General Assembly resolution 59/60.

UNMOVIC was invited to attend, as observer, the tenth session of the Conference of the States parties to the Chemical Weapons Convention held in The Hague in November 2005. UNMOVIC staff held informal discussions with experts from the Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons and visited their laboratory and equipment stores to discuss sampling and analytical methods and equipment storage methods to ensure long-term viability.

UNMOVIC was invited to attended, as observer, the annual meeting of the States parties to the Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention, held in Geneva in December 2005.

Field offices

The Cyprus field office, consisting of four staff members, continued to maintain the inspection and monitoring equipment stored there. On 26 October 2005, the Government of Cyprus agreed with the United Nations to extend the validity of the agreement establishing the UNMOVIC field office for another year, until 30 October 2006.

For security reasons, the United Nations decided to redeploy all of its assets from the Canal compound in Baghdad to the international zone. The compound housed United Nations offices including the UNMOVIC Monitoring Centre, which has considerable assets in storage, including laboratory equipment, inspection equipment, transportation and communication equipment and vehicles. By 25 March 2006, all equipment was redeployed either to the international zone in Baghdad and the United Nations compound in Kuwait, pending decisions as to future disposal, or to Cyprus for refurbishment and storage. A large number of assets whose disposal had earlier been approved by the Headquarters Property Survey Board were given to the Government of Iraq. The Baghdad local staff was reduced from seven to two in July 2006.

Staffing

At the end of July 2006, UNMOVIC staff at the Professional level totalled 35, drawn from 20 nationalities, 8 of whom were women. This compared with 48 at the end of July 2005.

Roster

UNMOVIC undertook an update of its roster of inspectors. Beyond the current staff members, over 300 persons on the roster confirmed their willingness to participate in inspection missions if called upon.

College of Commissioners

The College of Commissioners met on 24 and 25 August and 21 and 22 November 2005; and on 21 and 22 February and 23 and 24 May 2006. The College reviewed the work of UNMOVIC in implementing the resolutions of the Council and provided guidance and advice to the Acting Executive Chairman. The members were also consulted on the contents of the quarterly reports to the Council and were updated on the various activities of the staff and received briefings on a number of assessments and findings of UNMOVIC.

On 19 May 2006, Stephen G. Rademaker (United States of America) resigned from the College of Commissioners. The Secretary-General appointed Francis C. Record (United States of America) as his successor.

Chapter 3

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia is mandated by the Security Council to oversee the implementation of the arms embargo on Somalia imposed by resolutions 733 (1992), 1356 (2001) and 1425 (2002).

In 2005, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of Lauro L. Baja, Jr. (Philippines) as Chairman, the delegations of Algeria and Greece providing the Vice-Chairmen. In 2006, Nassir Abdulaziz Al-Nasser (Qatar) was elected by the Security Council as Chairman of the Committee, the delegations of Ghana and Slovakia providing the Vice-Chairmen.

During the reporting period, the Committee held one formal and five informal meetings.

At its formal meeting, on 5 October 2005, the Committee considered the final report of the Monitoring Group (S/2005/625) re-established by Security Council resolution 1587 (2005) to, inter alia, oversee the implementation of the arms embargo. On 14 October 2005, the Chairman provided an account of that discussion to the Council.

On 16 December 2005, an informal meeting of the Committee was convened to hear a briefing by the Chairman on his visit to Kenya, Ethiopia and Yemen from 26 November to 4 December 2005.

At the Committee's informal meeting on 14 February 2006, the Monitoring Group re-established by Security Council resolution 1630 (2005) presented its mid-term briefing, about which the Chairman reported to the Council in a statement on 10 March 2006.

At its informal meetings on 2 and 4 May 2006, the Committee considered the final report of the Monitoring Group (S/2006/229) and, on 10 May, the Chairman provided an account of that discussion to the Security Council.

On 14 December 2005, the Committee approved a request from the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to ship equipment to Somalia for its mine-clearance operations.

On 19 December 2005, the Committee submitted its annual report on its work in 2005 (S/2005/813).

Chapter 4

International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

During the reporting period, the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia operated at maximum capacity. To date, 161 persons have been charged and proceedings against 94 accused have been concluded. Fifty-one accused are in custody at the Detention Unit, 11 are on provisional release, and only 6 accused are still fugitives.

Six trials involving 24 accused have been running concurrently. In the reporting period, trial judgements were delivered in five cases involving eight accused. Two accused have pleaded guilty and one accused has been declared unfit to stand trial. There are 14 cases involving 22 accused at the pre-trial stage and 10 cases involving 14 accused at the appeals stage. The Appeals Chamber has rendered four judgements of appeal regarding five appellants.

Four accused have been remanded to the Tribunal, namely, Ante Gotovina, Dragan Zelenovic and Sredoje and Milan Lukic. Mr. Zelenovic was arrested in the Russian Federation in 2005 and expelled in June 2006 to Bosnia and Herzegovina, from where he was immediately transferred to the Tribunal. Four convicted persons were transferred to serve their sentences. On 5 March, Milan Babic, a detained witness, was found dead in his cell at the Detention Unit. On 11 March, Slobodan Milosevic was found dead in his cell. Forensic inquiries by the host State established that Mr. Babic died as a result of suicide, and Mr. Milosevic of natural causes. Inquiries were also conducted by the Vice-President, Kevin Parker. The results were published in June 2006.

The Tribunal commissioned an independent audit of the Detention Unit by a team of Swedish experts, who issued their report on 4 May 2006. The team expressed satisfaction with the overall operation of the Unit and made a number of recommendations.

On 17 November 2005, Judge Fausto Pocar and Judge Kevin Parker were elected President and Vice-President of the Tribunal.

During the reporting period, several important measures and changes were instituted to accelerate proceedings, including the joinder of cases into trials of multiple accused. In order to expedite proceedings, in April 2006, the Working Group on Speeding Up Trials adopted measures to improve the efficiency of pre-trial and trial proceedings whereby all pre-trial cases would be transferred to the Trial Chamber that would hear the trial. The judges met in plenary in May 2006 to discuss methods for improving the organization of trials, adopting an amendment of the Rules related to indictments aiming at shortening trials through more focused indictments.

On 28 February 2006, by resolution 1660 (2006), the Security Council amended the Statute of the Tribunal to allow for the appointment of reserve judges from among the ad litem judges. Their presence would ensure that trials would continue should one or more of the judges on the bench be unable to continue sitting on a case.

As for the referral of cases of intermediate and lower-ranked accused to national jurisdictions, six accused have been transferred to Bosnia and Herzegovina and two accused to Croatia. On 4 July 2006 the Appeals Chamber affirmed the referral to Bosnia and Herzegovina of the case of Prosecutor v. Ljubičić and motions for the further referral of seven accused are currently under consideration.

On 12 April 2006, the Secretary-General paid a visit to the Tribunal.

Chapter 5

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 918 (1994) concerning Rwanda

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 918 (1994) concerning Rwanda is mandated by the Security Council to oversee the implementation of the provisions of resolutions 918 (1994) and 1011 (1995) concerning the weapons embargo against Rwanda.

In 2005, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of Abdallah Baali (Algeria) as Chairman, the delegations of Benin and Greece providing the Vice-Chairmen. For 2006, César Mayoral (Argentina) was elected by the Security Council as Chairman, the delegations of Greece and Qatar providing the Vice-Chairmen.

During the reporting period, the Committee held one informal meeting, on 25 April 2006, at which it considered issues relating to a letter, dated 10 March 2006, from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

On 9 March 2006, the Chairman of the Committee addressed a letter, to the President of the Security Council, covering the implementation of the relevant Council resolutions during the period from 1 January to 31 December 2005 (S/2006/164).

Chapter 6

International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

The activities of the Trial Chambers of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda continued, with an unprecedented number of trials in progress. Owing to the full use of the nine ad litem judges working with the nine permanent judges and four courtrooms, the introduction of real-time transcription, and direct and simultaneous interpretation into Kinyarwanda, the output continued to increase. Judgements concerning 27 accused were delivered, and 25 other persons were on trial. The Appeals Chamber delivered three judgements during the reporting period involving four accused, as well as numerous interlocutory decisions.

With regard to the Office of the Prosecutor, all outstanding indictments have now been confirmed. The Prosecutor has handed over 30 case files to the Government of Rwanda for prosecution before the national courts. Negotiations are in progress with a number of Governments for transfer of cases of the Tribunal to their national jurisdictions. The Prosecutor has agreed with the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights that the latter will take on the responsibility of monitoring on his behalf all cases transferred to African countries. The tracking of fugitives has been intensified, and three indictees have recently been arrested.

The Registry continued to support the judicial process by servicing the other organs of the Tribunal and the defence, and by seeking support from States and/or international institutions in the conduct of the proceedings. Agreements have been concluded with States and institutions to fund activities not covered by the regular budget, to ensure the movement of witnesses and their safety, to identify countries where convicted persons would serve their sentences or where acquitted persons would be relocated. The Registry increased its efforts to step up outreach activities, including capacity-building programmes for the Rwandan judiciary, in line with the completion strategy of the Tribunal. The Registry continued to provide active support in the facilitation of trial-readiness of cases.

Chapter 7

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone is mandated by the Security Council to oversee the implementation of the measures imposed by resolution 1171 (1998), which consist of an arms embargo on non-governmental forces in Sierra Leone and travel restrictions on members of the former military junta and of the Revolutionary United Front as designated by the Committee.

In 2005, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of Ronaldo Mota Sardenberg (Brazil) as Chairman, while the delegations of Algeria and Argentina served as the Vice-Chairmen. For 2006, Augustine P. Mahiga (United Republic of Tanzania) served as Chairman, the delegations of Argentina and the Congo providing the Vice-Chairmen.

During the period under review, the Committee held one informal meeting, on 11 July 2006, to consider the travel ban list established pursuant to resolution 1171 (1998).

The Committee received two notifications, in accordance with paragraph 4 of resolution 1171 (1998), on the export of arms and related materiel to Sierra Leone, both of which it subsequently reported to the Security Council in accordance with that paragraph.

Also in connection with the proposed export of items to Sierra Leone, the Committee decided, in three separate cases, that the items in question did not qualify as arms or related materiel as stipulated in paragraph 2 of resolution 1171 (1998), and that the provision of each of those items was therefore not subject to further consideration by the Committee.

On 30 December 2005, the Committee adopted its report for 2005 to the Security Council (S/2005/843).

Chapter 8

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) is mandated by the Security Council to oversee the implementation of sanctions measures, consisting of an assets freeze, travel ban and arms embargo against individuals or entities belonging to or associated with Al-Qaida or the Taliban or both as set out in resolutions 1267 (1999), 1363 (2001), 1373 (2001), 1452 (2002), 1455 (2003), 1526 (2004) and 1617 (2005).

In 2005, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of César Mayoral (Argentina), Greece and Romania providing the Vice-Chairmen. In 2006, Ghana and Greece provided the Vice-Chairmen. In the reporting period, the Committee held 4 formal and 34 informal meetings.

Pursuant to resolutions 1526 (2004) and 1617 (2005), the Chairman undertook four visits to selected countries during the reporting period. From 8 to 18 October, he visited Nigeria and Chad, as well as the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe and the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime in Vienna. From 9 to 11 November, he participated in an international conference on combating terrorist financing held in Vienna. From 27 January to 4 February, he visited Japan and Indonesia, and from 28 April to 8 May 2006 he visited Qatar, Yemen and Saudi Arabia. As a result of those visits, the Chairman was able to convey useful information on the implementation of sanctions to both the Committee and the Security Council immediately upon his return.

On 9 September 2005, the Chairman transmitted to the President of the Security Council the third report of the Analytical Support and Sanctions Monitoring Team established by resolution 1526 (2004) (S/2005/572). On 10 March 2006, the Chairman transmitted the fourth report of the Monitoring Team (S/2006/154). The Monitoring Team submitted its fifth report to the Committee on 31 July 2006.

Pursuant to resolutions 1526 (2004) and 1617 (2005), the Chairman presented 120-day oral briefings in the Council on 26 October 2005 and on 21 February and 30 May 2006. By means of those briefings, the Chairman informed the Council about the work of the Committee and the Monitoring Team as well as the implementation of the sanctions measures by States.

On 15 May 2006, the Committee received briefings by delegations from Sweden, Switzerland and Germany in accordance with Security Council resolutions 1526 (2004) and 1617 (2005), by which the Council requested the Committee to follow up with States on the implementation of the sanctions measures and to provide States with an opportunity for in-depth discussion of relevant issues beyond the reporting process. The Committee was also briefed by Jean-Paul Laborde, Chief of the Terrorism Prevention Branch at the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, on 5 June 2006.

During the reporting period, 5 States submitted their reports on the implementation of sanctions measures in accordance with resolution 1455 (2003).

The Monitoring Team undertook several visits to various regions to discuss sanctions implementation with States and international organizations. The Team also held regular meetings with experts of the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate.

The Chairman of the Committee submitted the report on the work of the Committee in 2005 by a letter dated 13 January 2006 (S/2006/22).

On 26 July 2006, the Chairman held a public briefing for Member States, at which he informed them about new developments in the work of the Committee.

During the reporting period, the Committee added 32 individuals and five entities to the Al-Qaida section of the consolidated sanctions list and de-listed three individuals. The sanctions list is available on the Committee's website at http://www.un.org/Docs/sc/committees/1267/1267ListEng.htm.

Chapter 9

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, known as the Counter-Terrorism Committee, was established to monitor implementation of that resolution. The Committee has been assisted in its work by the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate, established by resolution 1535 (2004). The Committee, in consultation with the Secretary-General, declared the Executive Directorate fully operational on 15 December 2005. On the same date, the Committee submitted a report for the Security Council's consideration (S/2005/800), in preparation for the Council's comprehensive review of the Executive Directorate, as required by resolution 1535 (2004).

Ambassador Ellen Margrethe Løj, Permanent Representative of Denmark, has served as Chairman of the Committee since 1 April 2005. During 2005, Algeria, Brazil and Greece served as Vice-Chairmen of the Committee. During 2006, the three Vice-Chairmen have been Greece, Peru and Qatar. Each Vice-Chairman chairs one of the Committee's three Subcommittees.

During the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006, the Committee held 23 formal meetings and 29 Subcommittee meetings (23 with experts and 6 with Member States).

Resolution 1373 (2001) sets out a comprehensive agenda of activities to counter terrorism and to bring terrorists to justice, as well as those who harbour, aid and support them. It also requires all States to cooperate in a wide range of areas. All States are required to report to the Committee on their implementation of resolution 1373 (2001). As at 31 July 2006, the Committee had received 681 reports from Member States and others. Those included 191 first, 169 second, 138 third, 108 fourth, 58 fifth and 8 sixth reports from Member States. The Committee had also received nine reports from entities other than Member States.

The Committee continued to work on the basis of quarterly programmes of work, which were communicated to the Security Council (S/2005/421, S/2005/663, S/2006/107, and S/2006/276). Its next programme of work will cover a six-month period (July-December 2006).

In its work, the Committee has placed priority on effecting a transition from its previous focus on reporting to a focus on the implementation of resolution 1373 (2001). On embarking on this endeavour, the Committee cleared an accumulated backlog of incoming reports from Member States, a task that was largely accomplished by the end of 2005. This shift in emphasis reflected the Committee's intention to adopt a tailor-made approach for each individual State, analysing its accomplishments in implementing resolution 1373 (2001) with a view to determining how to engage with it most fruitfully, including through the facilitation of technical assistance. It was also hoped that this new approach would encourage those States that had fallen behind with reporting to re-engage with the Committee.

To support this new approach, the Committee developed a Preliminary Implementation Assessment, an analytical tool designed to provide a systematic, transparent and effective way to monitor the extent to which States had met their obligations under resolution 1373 (2001). It also aimed to improve the Committee's dialogue with States on setting priorities for their respective ways forward, including in areas where there were possible needs for assistance, and to allow the Committee to play a facilitating role in ensuring that such needs were filled. This analytical tool is now being tested by the Committee.

The Committee has also focused on ways to improve efforts to identify technical assistance needs, in collaboration with Member States, and to facilitate the provision of such assistance, including through strengthening its dialogue with potential donors and assistance providers. On 6 December 2005, the Committee approved a set of operational conclusions for policy guidance to the Executive Directorate regarding technical assistance. The Committee has also emphasized the importance of concrete, measurable results in this regard.

The Committee has continued, through the Executive Directorate, to undertake visits to States, with their consent, in order to engage in detailed discussions to monitor implementation of resolution 1373 (2001) in line with resolution 1535 (2004). Since 1 August 2005, the Committee has visited Algeria, Jordan, Malaysia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and the United Republic of Tanzania. The Committee has also endeavoured to take stock of its earlier visits, continuing discussions on how visits to States could be more results-oriented, including through the design of a thorough follow-up process.

The Committee has worked to deepen its engagement and cooperation with international, regional and subregional organizations with a view to encouraging and assisting them to develop capacity to better help their respective memberships to implement resolution 1373 (2001). As a start, the Committee has taken particular initiatives with regard to the African, Caribbean and Pacific regions. The Committee has also begun preparations for its next special meeting with international, regional and subregional organizations.

The Committee has acted to fulfil the role assigned to it by resolution 1624 (2005), whereby it was directed to include in its dialogue with Member States their efforts to implement that resolution; to work with Member States to help build capacity, including through spreading best legal practice and promoting exchange of information; and to report back to the Council in 12 months on the implementation of the resolution. The Committee has contacted all Member States in this regard.

As requested in paragraph 7 of resolution 1566 (2004), the Committee has continued its work to develop a set of best practices to assist States in implementing the provisions of resolution 1373 (2001), including in relation to the financing of terrorism. On 25 May, the Committee also approved conclusions for policy guidance to the Executive Directorate regarding human rights and the Committee.

The Committee has been exploring ways to respond to the 2005 World Summit Outcome (General Assembly resolution 60/1), in which the Security Council was encouraged to consider ways to strengthen its monitoring and enforcement role in counter-terrorism, including by consolidating State reporting requirements, taking into account and respecting the different mandates of its counter-terrorism subsidiary bodies. The Committee has been striving to enhance cooperation and coordination between those subsidiary bodies, as well as their respective affiliated expert groups. Meanwhile, the three counter-terrorism-related Security Council Committees have continued the practice of coordinating their periodic briefings to the Council.

The Committee continued to attach importance in its work to the guiding principles of cooperation, transparency and even-handedness. The Committee maintains a website, which can be found at http://www.un.org/sc/ctc/. The Chairman briefed Member States on the work of the Committee on 8 May 2006. In a further outreach effort, the Committee has decided to pursue a proactive communications policy, to be implemented by the Executive Directorate.

Chapter 10
Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1518 (2003)

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 1518 (2003) is mandated by the Security Council to continue to identify, pursuant to paragraphs 19 and 23 of resolution 1483 (2003), individuals and entities whose funds, assets or economic resources should be frozen and transferred to the Development Fund for Iraq. As defined in paragraph 23 of resolution 1483 (2003), the financial sanctions apply to the previous Government of Iraq or its State bodies, corporations or agencies, as well as to senior officials of the former Iraqi regime and their immediate family members, including entities owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by them or by persons acting on their behalf or at their direction.

The Bureau of the Committee in 2005 consisted of Mihnea Ioan Motoc (Romania) as Chairman, the delegations of Brazil and Denmark providing the two Vice-Chairmen. In 2006, Nana Effah-Apenteng (Ghana) was elected Chairman, and the Congo and Denmark provided the Vice-Chairmen.

During the period under review, the Committee held two informal meetings, on 14 October and 12 December 2005, at which it considered issues relating to the sanctions regime, in particular de-listing guidelines, which it adopted on 14 December 2006. Invited by the Committee, Ambassador Surood Najeeb, Chief of the International Conferences and Cooperation Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Iraq, participated in the Committee's discussions, on 14 October 2005, on matters pertaining to the mandate of the Committee, including the issue of de-listing guidelines.

On 5 December 2005, the Chairman attended a handover ceremony, held in Basel, Switzerland, of a jet aircraft, seized by the authorities of Liechtenstein from the former Iraqi regime, to the Iraqi authorities.

During the reporting period, the Committee added two names to its list of entities. The updated list of individuals and entities targeted by the financial sanctions is available at http://www.un.org/Docs/sc/committees/1518/1518SanctionsCommEng.htm. On 23 December 2005, the Committee submitted its report on its work in 2005 (S/2005/827).

Chapter 11
Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003) concerning Liberia is mandated by the Security Council to oversee the sanctions regime imposed by resolutions 1521 (2003) and 1532 (2004) and subsequently modified by resolutions 1683 (2006) and 1689 (2006).

Until the end of May 2006, the sanctions regime consisted of an arms embargo; prohibitions on the import of rough diamonds, round logs and timber products originating in Liberia; and travel restrictions and an assets freeze which are applied against those individuals designated by the Committee in accordance with the criteria set out in resolutions 1521 (2003) and 1532 (2004). The Committee's travel ban and assets freeze lists are available on the Committee's website at http://www.un.org/Docs/sc/committees/Liberia3Template.htm.

In June 2006, Security Council, in its resolution 1683 (2006), modified the arms embargo to incorporate additional specific exceptions, and, in resolution 1689 (2006), decided to not to renew the prohibitions on the import of round logs and timber products from Liberia; however, it also decided to review that decision after a period of 90 days.

In 2005, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of Ellen Margrethe Løj (Denmark) as Chairman, while the delegations of Japan and the Philippines served as the Vice-Chairmen. For 2006, Ellen Margrethe Løj (Denmark) continued to serve as Chairman, the delegations of Japan and Qatar providing the Vice-Chairmen.

During the period under review, the Committee held three formal meetings and eight informal consultations to consider various issues relating to the sanctions regime.

The Committee conducted periodic reviews of its travel ban and assets freeze lists in September 2005 and in January, March and June 2006. It also considered 10 requests for travel ban waivers under subparagraph 4 (c) of resolution 1521 (2003), two of which were granted. In addition, during the reporting period, the Committee added the names of two persons to its travel ban list and two persons and 30 entities to its assets freeze list.

In the period prior to the modification of the arms embargo, the Committee approved two requests (with the exception of one item included in one of those requests) submitted in accordance with subparagraph 2 (e) of resolution 1521 (2003), for exemptions to the embargo to allow for the equipping of the Liberian armed forces and police who were participating in international training programmes.

In the period prior to the suspension of the timber sanctions, the Committee considered, but did not accede to, a request from a private-sector company to approve the export from Liberia of a wood product. The Committee was of the view that neither resolution 1521 (2003) nor resolution 1579 (2004) included provisions for exceptions to those sanctions.

The Committee received a notification, in accordance with subparagraph 2 (a) of resolution 1532 (2004), of the intention to authorize certain basic expenditures to the benefit of an individual inscribed on the assets freeze list. The Committee also received and approved two requests, submitted in accordance with subparagraph 2 (b) of that resolution, to authorize the release of hitherto frozen funds to cover the extraordinary expenses of an entity included in the assets freeze list.

At its consultations on 19 October 2005, the Committee received an informal update from the Panel of Experts re-established by resolution 1607 (2005).

At its consultations on 7 December 2005, the Committee was briefed by representatives of the Liberia Forest Initiative, which is a multi-donor partnership designed to help Liberians create conditions favourable to the lifting of sanctions in the context of putting the Liberian forestry sector back on a legal and sustainable basis.

At its consultations on 2 and 7 December 2005, the Committee considered the final report of the Panel of Experts under the mandate accorded to it by resolution 1607 (2005) (S/2005/745). On 16 December, during the Council's sanctions review, the Chairman briefed the Council on the Committee's activities and its deliberations on the report of the Panel.

At its consultations on 29 March 2006, the Committee received an informal update from the Panel of Experts re-established by resolution 1647 (2006).

The Chairman of the Committee visited Liberia from 5 to 9 April; she provided an oral report on her visit at the 7th meeting of the Committee on 10 May. The purpose of the visit was, inter alia, to discuss the implementation of the sanctions on Liberia and the progress that had been achieved to date in meeting the conditions for their lifting.

During consultations on 7 June and the 8th meeting on 13 June, the Committee considered the final report of the Panel of Experts under the mandate accorded to it in resolution 1647 (2005) (S/2006/379). At the 8th meeting, the Committee also received a briefing from a representative of the Chairman of the Kimberley Process.

On 16 June, as part of the Council's sanctions review, the Chairman made a statement to the Council summarizing the discussions in the Committee on the report and recommendations of the Panel of Experts.

On 28 June 2006, the Committee adopted its report for 2005 to the Security Council (S/2006/464).

At its 9th meeting on 25 July 2006, the Committee considered a proposal to remove several names from its travel ban list.

Chapter 12
Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo was mandated by the Security Council to oversee and assess the implementation of the arms embargo imposed by paragraph 20 of resolution 1493 (2003) on all foreign and Congolese armed groups and militias operating in the territory of North and South Kivu and of Ituri, and on groups not parties to the Global and All-Inclusive Agreement. The embargo was renewed by resolutions 1552 (2004) and 1596 (2005); by resolution 1596 (2005) it was also expanded to include any recipient in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, with the exception of units of the national army and police, provided that the conditions set out in paragraphs 2 and 4 of the resolution were met. By paragraphs 13 and 15 of the latter resolution, the Council decided to impose a travel ban and assets freeze against individuals, as designated by the Committee, acting in violation of the arms embargo. By resolution 1616 (2005), the Council further renewed the arms embargo until 31 July 2006 and re-established the Group of Experts until 31 January 2006. By resolution 1649 (2005), the Council extended the scope of the travel restrictions and assets freeze, to take effect from 15 January 2006, to political and military leaders of foreign armed groups or Congolese militias receiving support from abroad impeding the disarmament of their combatants. By resolution 1654 (2006), the Council requested the Secretary-General to re-establish the Group of Experts for a period expiring on 31 July 2006. By its resolution 1698 (2006), the Council further renewed the arms embargo until 31 July 2007 and extended the mandate of the Group of Experts until that date; and extended the application of the targeted sanctions to include political and military leaders recruiting or using children in armed conflict in violation of applicable international law, and individuals committing serious violations of international law involving the targeting of children in situations of armed conflict.

In 2005, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of Abdallah Baali (Algeria) as the Chairman of the Committee and the delegations of Benin and the Philippines as Vice-Chairmen. For 2006, the Security Council elected Oswaldo de Rivero (Peru) as Chairman and the delegation of Japan as Vice-Chairman.

During the reporting period the Committee held several informal meetings.

On 9 August 2005, the Committee decided, for the purposes of establishing and maintaining a list of individuals and entities subject to the measures imposed by paragraphs 13 and 15 of resolution 1596 (2005), to temporarily use the guidelines for the conduct of the work of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire.

On 12 October 2005, the Committee sent a note verbale to all Member States conveying a revised list of receiving sites for supplies of arms and related materiel or technical training and assistance intended solely for support or use by units of the army and police of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, provided by the Government of National Unity and Transition in accordance with paragraph 4 of resolution 1596 (2005).

On 1 November 2005, the Committee approved a list of individuals and entities subject to the measures imposed by paragraphs 13 and 15 of resolution 1596 (2005). The list was further updated on 14 December 2005 and 8 June 2006.

On 25 November 2005, the Committee considered the mid-term report of the Group of Experts established pursuant to resolution 1616 (2005), which highlighted the efforts of the Group to identify the source of financing of the illegal arms flow, in particular in the eastern part of the Democratic Republic of the Congo. The report also drew the attention of the Committee to the importance of enhancing the cooperation of Member States in the region. The final report of the Group of Experts was considered at the informal consultations on 25 January and issued as a document of the Security Council on 27 January 2006 (S/2006/53).

At its informal meeting on 15 March 2006, the Committee considered and subsequently approved a request by the Government of the Netherlands for a waiver of the travel ban with respect to nationals of the Democratic Republic of the Congo included in the list, for the purpose of their surrender to the International Criminal Court at The Hague.

Cognizant of the important role played by States in the region in implementing the relevant measures imposed by the Security Council, the Committee has on several occasions benefited from discussions with representatives of neighbouring States.

At its informal meeting on 31 March 2006, the Committee discussed with the representatives of Bulgaria, Germany and Switzerland issues relating to the report of the Group of Experts (S/2006/53).

On 23 May 2006, the Committee received a mid-term report from the Chairman of the Group of Experts established pursuant to resolution 1654 (2006) and hosted a discussion on regional cooperation with the representatives of Burundi, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Rwanda and Uganda. The Committee also received a briefing by the Permanent Observer of the Holy See to the United Nations.

On 5 and 17 July 2006, the Committee considered the final report of the Group of Experts established pursuant to resolution 1654 (2006) (S/2006/525).

During the reporting period, the Committee received four notifications pursuant to paragraphs 2 (a) and 4 of resolution 1596 (2005) and three notifications pursuant to paragraph 2 (c) of resolution 1596 (2005).

The Committee has to date received 16 replies from Member States pursuant to paragraph 20 of resolution 1596 (2005).

Chapter 13
Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)

The Security Council, by resolution 1540 (2004) concerning the non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction, established a Committee for an initial period of two years. The mandate was extended for two more years by resolution 1673 (2006), in which the Council, inter alia, decided that the Committee should intensify its efforts to promote the full implementation by all States of resolution 1540 (2004).

In 2005, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of Mihnea Ioan Motoc (Romania) as Chairman, with the delegations of Benin, the Philippines and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland as Vice-Chairmen. In January 2006, the Council elected Peter Burian (Slovakia) as Chairman and Ghana, Japan and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland as Vice-Chairmen.

The Committee made briefings to the Security Council dealing with various aspects of terrorism, jointly with the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) and the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001), on 26 October 2005, 21 February 2006 and 30 May 2006. On 19 December 2005, the Chairman reported to the Security Council on the progress of the Committee's work (S/2005/799) and on 27 April 2006, as mandated by resolution 1540 (2004), the Committee presented a report on the implementation of resolution 1540 (2004) during the initial two years of the Committee's mandate (S/2006/257). As mandated by resolution

1673 (2006), the Committee has currently been working on its first annual work programme, for the period May 2006 to April 2007.

In the reporting period, the Committee held 6 formal meetings, 13 informal meetings and 29 Subcommittee meetings. In its work, the Committee was supported by a group of eight experts which assisted in the consideration of national reports. The Committee continued to consider and respond to first reports received from 133 States and began its consideration of 85 second national reports. With the emphasis on transparency in its work, the Committee made available to reporting States its prepared matrices, which display the information reported from individual States, and it is the Committee's intention to encourage States to provide additional information on their national implementation of resolution 1540 (2004) as an ongoing process.

As part of an outreach programme, the Chairman of the Committee briefed representatives from the Latin American and Caribbean Group, the Asian Group and the African Group. In addition, the Committee, with the support of Member States and the Department for Disarmament Affairs, organized regional seminars in Argentina from 26 to 28 September 2005 and in Beijing on 12 and 13 July 2006.

On 19 May 2006, the Committee decided to publish its legislative database on the website. The database, which will be continually updated and can be found at http://disarmament2.un.org/committee1540/legalDB.html, contains information about national legislative and other regulatory measures that relate to States' implementation of resolution 1540 (2004). With regard to the provision of technical assistance, the Committee has continued to act as a broker, advising States offering assistance to take a proactive approach bilaterally with those States requesting assistance.

The Committee continued to maintain close relations and cooperation with the Counter-Terrorism Committee and the Committee concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities, as provided for in resolution 1566 (2004).

Chapter 14

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) concerning Côte d'Ivoire

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004) is mandated to oversee the implementation of the sanctions regime imposed by that resolution, as renewed and expanded by resolution 1643 (2005).

In December 2005, by resolution 1643 (2005), the sanctions regime imposed by resolution 1572 (2004), consisting of an arms embargo, travel restrictions and an assets freeze on individuals designated by the Committee, was renewed until 15 December 2006. In addition, by paragraph 6 of resolution 1643 (2005), the Security Council imposed an embargo on the import of all rough diamonds from Côte d'Ivoire. For the purpose of the adoption of the restrictive measures imposed by paragraphs 9 and 11 of resolution 1572 (2004), namely travel and financial restrictions against designated individuals, the Council decided, by paragraph 4 of resolution 1643 (2005), that any obstacle to the freedom of movement of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (UNOCI) and the French forces, as well as any attack on or obstruction of the action of UNOCI, the French forces, the High Representative for the elections or the International Working Group, constituted a threat to the peace and national reconciliation process.

By resolution 1643 (2005) the Council also requested the Secretary-General to establish a five-member Group of Experts with a mandate to monitor the implementation of the embargo on arms and diamonds as well as the implementation of individual measures set out in paragraphs 9 and 11 of resolution 1572 (2004).

In 2005, and for the period of 2006 covered by the present report, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of Adamantios Th. Vassilakis as Chairman, and the delegations of Denmark and the United Republic of Tanzania as Vice-Chairmen.

During the reporting period, the Committee held three formal and several informal consultations.

At its 7th meeting, the Committee agreed to issue a press release expressing its serious concerns regarding episodes of hatred and incitation to violence by the Ivorian media; and reaffirmed its determination to adopt measures to support the peace process and, in particular, to consider the adoption of restrictive measures against targeted individuals, according to its mandate pursuant to paragraphs 9 and 11 of resolution 1572 (2004).

The Chairman of the Committee visited Côte d'Ivoire in October 2005 to assess the progress made by all parties towards the implementation of the relevant peace agreements (see S/2005/790).

At informal meetings on 28 October and 8 November 2005, the Committee considered the report of the Group of Experts established pursuant to resolution 1584 (2005), and discussed the visit of the Chairman of the Committee to Côte d'Ivoire. The report of the Group of Experts was further considered by the Security Council in informal consultations, and issued as Security Council document S/2005/699.

By resolution 1632 (2005), the Security Council extended the mandate of the Group of Experts until 15 December 2005, and requested the Group of Experts to submit an update report by 1 December 2005. The Committee began consideration of the update report at the informal meeting held on 14 December 2005 and further considered it in informal consultations on 14 March 2006. The report was subsequently issued as a document of the Security Council (S/2006/204).

At its 8th meeting, the Committee considered the implementation of the measures set out in paragraphs 9 and 11 of resolution 1572 (2004) and, on 7 February 2006, issued a list of individuals subject to those measures. The Committee further updated the list on 5 June 2006.

At its informal consultations of 14 March 2006, the Committee received a briefing from the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator, Jan Egeland, on his recent visit to Côte d'Ivoire. The Committee took note of his concern regarding a climate of impunity and the continuing incitation to violence by local media and, on 16 March 2006, it issued a press release requesting explanations from the Ivorian authorities on the incidents that had occurred in February between the National Armed Forces of Côte d'Ivoire (FANCI) and the French forces.

At its 9th meeting, the Committee considered the report of the representative of Côte d'Ivoire to the United Nations (see S/2006/294), following his briefing to the Committee at informal consultations on 12 April 2006, on the incidents that occurred between FANCI and the French forces. The Committee also held the quarterly review of the list of individuals subject to the measures imposed by paragraphs 9 and 11 of resolution 1572 (2004) and considered a letter from the Chairman of the Group of Experts seeking guidance from the Committee on certain case studies described in the Group's report (S/2006/204), concerning dual-use items and on whether the supply of such items constituted a violation of the arms embargo. At informal consultations held immediately afterwards, the Committee received a briefing from the Department of Peacekeeping Operations concerning the above-mentioned incidents.

At its informal meeting on 14 June 2006, the Committee received and considered the mid-term report of the Group of Experts established pursuant to resolution 1643 (2005).

During the reporting period, the Committee considered monthly arms and media monitoring reports prepared by UNOCI in accordance with paragraphs 2 and 9 of resolution 1584 (2005).

On 16 March 2006, the Committee sent a note verbale to all Member States, informing them, inter alia, that pursuant to paragraph 7 of resolution 1643 (2005) all Member States had an obligation to report to the Committee on the implementation of the measures imposed by paragraphs 7, 9 and 11 of resolution 1572 (2004) and by paragraphs 4 and 6 of resolution 1643 (2005). As at 31 July 2006, 18 States had reported to the Committee.

On 10 May 2006, the Committee received a letter from the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations transmitting a list of armaments submitted to UNOCI by the Forces nouvelles, in accordance with paragraph 2 of resolution 1643 (2005).

Chapter 15

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan is mandated by the Security Council to monitor an arms embargo on all the parties to the N'Djamena Ceasefire Agreement and any other belligerents in the States of Northern Darfur, Southern Darfur and Western Darfur in the Sudan. The Committee is also mandated to monitor the implementation of the travel ban and assets freeze imposed by resolution 1591 (2005) and, inter alia, to designate individuals subject to those measures, in accordance with the criteria set out in the resolution. By resolution 1672 (2006), the Security Council decided that all States should implement those measures with respect to the four individuals named in the resolution. The list of individuals subject to the travel ban and assets freeze is also available on the Committee's website at http://www.un.org/Docs/sc/committees/SudanTemplate.htm.

In 2005, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of Adamantios Th. Vassilakis (Greece) as Chairman, while the delegations of Argentina and the Philippines served as the Vice-Chairmen. For 2006, Adamantios Th. Vassilakis (Greece) continued to serve as Chairman, the delegations of Argentina and Slovakia providing the Vice-Chairmen.

During the period under review, the Committee held one formal meeting and 13 informal consultations to consider various issues relating to the sanctions regime.

At its consultations on 7 and 14 October 2005, the Committee heard a mid-term briefing from and considered the interim report of the Panel of Experts established by resolution 1591 (2005) to assist the Committee in monitoring the sanctions measures. On 16 November 2005, the Chairman provided an account of the discussions to the Security Council in a statement which served as the Committee's second 90-day report to the Council in accordance with resolution 1591 (2005).

During its informal consultations on 9 December 2005, its 4th meeting on 9 January 2006 and in consultations on 1 and 9 February 2006, the Committee considered the report of the Panel of Experts (S/2006/65) and the recommendations it contained.

At the 4th meeting, the Committee also considered the programme of work of the Panel of Experts, the mandate of which was extended by resolution 1651 (2005). The Chairman of the Committee delivered his third 90-day report to the Security Council on 27 February 2006, in which he summarized, inter alia, the Committee's views on the report and recommendations of the Panel.

Following extensive discussions on the subject, particularly at its consultations convened in February and March 2006, the Committee adopted guidelines for the conduct of its work.

At its consultations on 22 March 2006, the Committee considered the report of the Panel of Experts under the mandate accorded to it under resolution 1651 (2005) (S/2006/250).

At its consultations on 19 April, the Committee discussed the proposed designation of four individuals as subject to the travel ban and assets freeze. On the following day, the Chairman delivered his fourth 90-day report to the Council on the work of the Committee, in which he briefed the Council on the Committee's discussions regarding the proposed designation of individuals. Subsequently, the Security Council adopted resolution 1672 (2006), designating those individuals.

At its consultations on 15 June 2006, the Committee heard an update from the Panel of Experts, the mandate of which was extended by resolution 1665 (2006), on its programme of work. At its consultations on 25 July 2006 the Committee heard a mid-term briefing provided by the Panel, which was supplemented by a written interim report for the information of Committee members. On 27 July 2006, the Chairman delivered his fifth 90-day report to the Council, summarizing, inter alia, the Committee's discussion on the mid-term briefing.

On 14 July 2006, the Committee adopted its first annual report on its work to the Security Council, covering the period from 29 March 2005 to 31 March 2006 (S/2006/543).

Chapter 16

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1636 (2005)

The Committee established pursuant to resolution 1636 (2005) is mandated to undertake tasks described in paragraph 3 and the annex to the resolution, in order to assist in the investigation into the terrorist bombing in Beirut on 14 February 2005, which killed former Lebanese Prime Minister Rafiq Hariri and 22 others.

In 2005, the Bureau of the Committee consisted of Kenzo Oshima (Japan) as Chairman and the delegations of Denmark and Romania as Vice-Chairmen. In 2006, Kenzo Oshima (Japan) continued serving as Chairman of the Committee, the delegations of Denmark and Slovakia providing the Vice-Chairmen.

During the reporting period, the Committee held two informal meetings. At its informal meetings on 22 December 2005 and 17 February 2006, the Committee considered draft guidelines for the conduct of its work, which were adopted by the Committee on 8 March.

Appendices

I

Membership of the Security Council during the years 2005 and 2006

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Japan
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Romania
Russian Federation
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
United Republic of Tanzania
United States of America

2006

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China
Congo
Denmark
France
Ghana
Greece
Japan
Peru
Qatar
Russian Federation
Slovakia
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
United Republic of Tanzania
United States of America

II

Representatives and deputy, alternate and acting representatives accredited to the Security Council

The following representatives and deputy, alternate and acting representatives served on the Security Council during the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006:

Algeria*

Mr. Abdelaziz Bouteflika[a]
(President)

Mr. Mohamed Bedjaoui[b]
(Minister for Foreign Affairs)

Mr. Abdallah Baali

Mr. Mourad Benmehidi

Mr. Larbi Katti

Mr. Larbi El-Hadj Ali

Mr. Mahieddine Djeffal

Mr. Larbi Djacta

Mr. Abdelouahab Osmane

Mr. Ali Hafrad

Ms. Nadjeh Baaziz

Argentina

Mr. Néstor Kirchner[a]
(President)

Mr. Jorge E. Taiana[c]
(Minister for Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Worship)

Mr. Roberto García Moritán[d]
(Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs)

Mr. César Mayoral

Mr. Alberto Pedro D'Alotto

Mr. Martín García Moritán

Mr. Gustavo Eduardo Ainchil

Mr. Diego Desmoures

Mrs. María Fabiana Loguzzo

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* Term of office ended on 31 December 2005.

** Term of office began on 1 January 2006.

Mr. Diego Malpede

Mrs. Gabriela Martinic

Mr. Fernando Apparicio da Silva

Mr. Mateo Estremé

Mr. Guillermo Kendall

Mr. Marcelo Gabriel Suárez Salvia

Mr. Federico Alejandro Barttfeld

Mr. Alejandro Torres Lepori

Mrs. María Josefina Martínez Gramuglia

Benin*

Mr. Mathieu Kérékou[a]
(President)

Mr. Paulin Djakpo[c]
(Cabinet Director, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and African Integration)

Mr. Simon Bodéhoussè Idohou

Mr. Edouard Aho-Glele

Mr. Jean-Francis R. Zinsou

Mr. Bertin Anatole Babadoudou

Mrs. Fernande Houngbedji

Mr. Eric Saizonou

Mr. Nicolas Codjo

Mr. Karimou Alfa Zerandouro

Brazil*

Mr. Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva[a]
(President)

Mr. Celso Luiz Nunes Amorim[b]
(Minister for External Relations)

Mr. Ronaldo Mota Sardenberg

Mr. Henrique Valle

Mr. Paulo Roberto Campos Tarrisse da Fontoura

Mr. Carlos Sérgio Sobral Duarte

Ms. Irene Vida Gala

Mr. Marcelo Baumbach

Ms. Gilda Motta Santos-Neves

Mr. Marcelo Marotta Viegas

Mr. João Marcelo Galvão de Queiroz

Mr. Luis Guilherme Nascentes da Silva

China

Mr. Hu Jintao[a]
(President)

Mr. Li Zhaoxing[f]
(Minister for Foreign Affairs)

Mr. Wang Guangya

Mr. Zhang Yishan

Mr. Liu Zhenmin

Mr. Cheng Jingye

Mr. Li Junhua

Mr. Guan Jian

Mr. Li Song

Mr. Li Kexin

Congo**

Mr. Denis Sassou Nguesso[g]
(President)

Mr. Rodolphe Adada[h]
(Minister for Foreign Affairs)

Mr. Basile Ikouebe

Mr. Pascal Gayama

Mr. Luc Joseph Okio

Mr. Justin Biabaroh-Iboro

Mr. Lazare Makayat-Safouesse

Mrs. Chantal Itoua Apoyolo

Mr. Raphaël D. Maboundou

Mrs. Annick Nzounza Lekaka

Mr. Emile Ange Mbou Mylondo

Mr. Boniface Lezona

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Mr. Tariq Ali Al-Ansari

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Mr. Mohammed Sultan Al-Kuwari

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(President[††])

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(Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation)

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Mr. Tuvako N. Manongi

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Ms. Condoleezza Rice[f]
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Mrs. Anne W. Patterson

Mr. Alejandro D. Wolff

Ms. Jackie Wolcott Sanders

[†] President of the United Republic of Tanzania at the time of the 5261st meeting, on 14 September 2005.

[††] President of the United Republic of Tanzania as from 21 December 2005; previously Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation.

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Mr. Richard Terrell Miller

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Mr. Gordon Olson

Mr. Charles N. Rostow

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Mr. William Brencick

Mr. Gerald Scott

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Mr. Donald Yamamoto

Ms. Mary Catherine Phee

Mr. Mark Groombridge

Notes

[a] Participated at the 5261st meeting, on 14 September 2005.

[b] Participated at the 5297th meeting, on 31 October 2005.

[c] Presided at the 5397th meeting, on 27 March 2006.

[d] Participated at the 5434th meeting, on 9 May 2006.

[e] Participated at the 5282nd meeting, on 17 October 2005.

[f] Participated at the 5297th and 5434th meetings, on 31 October 2005 and 9 May 2006.

[g] Participated at the 5448th and 5449th (closed) meetings, on 31 May 2006.

[h] Participated at the 5359th meeting, on 27 January 2006, and presided at the 5434th, 5448th and 5449th (closed) meetings, on 9 and 31 May 2006.

[i] Participated at the 5264th and 5297th meetings, on 20 September and 31 October 2005, and presided at the 5473rd and 5474th meetings, on 22 June 2006.

[j] Participated at the 5397th meeting, on 27 March 2006.

[k] Participated at the 5264th and 5434th meetings, on 20 September 2005 and 9 May 2006.

[l] Participated at the 5490th meeting, on 15 July 2006.

[m] Participated at the 5315th meeting, on 6 December 2005.

[n] Participated at the 5390th meeting, on 20 March 2006.

[o] Presided at the 5261st meeting, on 14 September 2005.

[p] Presided at the 5264th meeting, on 20 September 2005, and participated at the 5297th meeting, on 31 October 2005.

[q] Participated at the 5359th meeting, on 27 January 2006.

[r] Presided at the 5282nd, 5297th and 5298th meetings, on 17 and 31 October 2005.

[s] Participated at the 5264th meeting, on 20 September 2005.

[t] Participated at the 5494th meeting, on 24 July 2006.

[u] Participated at the 5448th meeting, on 31 May 2006.

[v] Presided at the 5359th meeting, on 27 January 2006, and participated at the 5434th meeting on 9 May 2006.

III

Presidents of the Security Council

The following representatives served as President of the Security Council during the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006:

Japan
Mr. Kenzo Oshima . . . . 1-31 August 2005

Philippines
Mr. Lauro L. Baja, Jr. . . . . 1-30 September 2005[a]

Romania
Mr. Mihnea Ioan Motoc . . . . 1-31 October 2005[b]

Russian Federation
Mr. Andrey I. Denisov. . . . . 1-30 November 2005

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
Sir Emyr Jones Parry, KCMG . . . . 1-31 December 2005

United Republic of Tanzania
Mr. Augustine P. Mahiga. . . . . 1-31 January 2006[c]

United States of America
Mr. John R. Bolton . . . . 1-28 February 2006

Argentina
Mr. César Mayoral . . . . 1-31 March 2006[d]

China
Mr. Wang Guangya . . . . 1-30 April 2006

Congo
Mr. Basile Ikouebe . . . . 1-31 May 2006[e]

Denmark
Ms. Ellen Margrethe Løj. . . . . 1-30 June 2006[f]

France
Mr. Jean-Marc de La Sablière . . . . 1-31 July 2006

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[a] Mrs. Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo, President of the Philippines, presided at the 5261st meeting, on 14 September 2005, and Mr. Alberto Gatmaitan Romulo, Secretary for Foreign Affairs of the Philippines, presided at the 5264th meeting, on 20 September 2005.

[b] Mr. Mihai Răzvan Ungureanu, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Romania, presided at the 5282nd, 5297th and 5298th meetings, on 17 and 31 October 2005.

[c] Madame Asha-Rose Mtengeti Migiro, Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of the United Republic of Tanzania, presided at the 5359th meeting, on 27 January 2006.

[d] Mr. Jorge E. Taiana, Minister for Foreign Affairs, International Trade and Worship of Argentina, presided at the 5397th meeting, on 27 March 2006.

[e] Mr. Rodolphe Adada, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Congo, presided at the 5434th, 5448th and 5449th (closed) meetings, on 9 and 31 May 2006.

[f] Mr. Per Stig Møller, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Denmark, presided at the 5473rd and 5474th meetings, on 22 June 2006.

IV

Communications from the President of the Security Council or the Secretary-General during the period from 1 August 2005 to 31 July 2006

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan

S/2006/8	4 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/9	6 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/23	13 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/99	10 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/256	13 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/301	17 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/341	26 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts

S/2005/567	29 August 2005	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2005/563	2 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/817	13 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/818	21 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation concerning Iraq

S/2005/509	3 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/535	8 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/536	19 August 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2005/540	23 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/541	25 August 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/652	14 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/656	17 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/702	2 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/703	9 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/713	11 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/807	19 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/847	20 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/848	30 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/93	7 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/94	10 February 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/194	24 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/195	28 March 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/291	10 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/339	23 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/340	26 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/394	12 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/510	10 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Guinea-Bissau

S/2005/795	2 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/796	15 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation in Afghanistan

S/2005/574	9 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/634	10 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/819	16 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/820	21 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/318	23 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in the Middle East

The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question

S/2005/797	13 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/798	16 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/233	6 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/234	11 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Security Council resolution 1595 (2005)

S/2005/587	9 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/588	15 September 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/662	20 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/725	14 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/726	17 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2005/775	12 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/17	11 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/18	13 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/161	14 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/375	10 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/541	14 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/542	19 July 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Security Council resolution 1559 (2004)

S/2005/673	26 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/725	14 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/726	17 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/248	18 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

S/2006/100	8 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/101	13 February 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

S/2005/725	14 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/726	17 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/245	13 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/246	18 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2006/595	29 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Timor-Leste

S/2005/613	28 September 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/157	10 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/196	28 March 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/319	24 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/338	26 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/383	13 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Burundi

S/2005/644	11 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/682	27 October 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/206	30 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

S/2005/539	23 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/584	12 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/611	15 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/696	2 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/707	3 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/744	28 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/768	8 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/71	1 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/79	2 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/131	24 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/135	27 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/184	22 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/190	28 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/242	11 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/243	13 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/260	25 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/345	22 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/332	25 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/334	25 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/455	28 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/516	12 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/584	26 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Sierra Leone

S/2005/779	7 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/780	12 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/838	22 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

S/2005/839	28 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

S/2005/543	22 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/544	26 August 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/566	2 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/682	27 October 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/28	17 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/139	3 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/206	30 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/219	12 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/344	30 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia

S/2005/668	24 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/694	2 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/235	7 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/236	11 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/362	2 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Liberia

S/2005/738	21 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/739	28 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2005/838	22 December 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/839	28 December 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/36	20 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/71	1 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/184	22 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/334	25 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/438	23 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Items relating to the situation in the former Yugoslavia

International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

S/2005/593	14 September 2005	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2006/199	27 March 2006	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council

Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)

S/2005/635	7 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/689	27 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/708	31 October 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/709	10 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/167	8 March 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/210	3 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

S/2006/228	10 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/288	8 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/368	7 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/574	24 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

S/2005/698	2 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/706	7 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/12	5 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/40	20 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/61	30 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/62	30 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/75	3 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/125	23 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/476	30 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Somalia

S/2005/695	2 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/729	16 November 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/730	21 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/261	20 April 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/262	25 April 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2006/313	22 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Cooperation between the United Nations and regional organizations in maintaining international peace and security

S/2005/567	29 August 2005	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council

The question concerning Haiti

S/2006/32	18 January 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/33	20 January 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/303	15 May 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/304	18 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/586	25 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/587	28 July 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation concerning Western Sahara

S/2005/511	4 August 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/512	8 August 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/570	6 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/571	9 September 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/466	26 June 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/467	30 June 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Security Council mission

S/2005/682	27 October 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2005/694	2 November 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2006/341	26 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/344	30 May 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation in Cyprus

S/2005/589	12 September 2005	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2005/590	15 September 2005	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/91	6 February 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2006/92	9 February 2006	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2006/572	25 July 2006	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Africa

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